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Dear Readers,

North Carolina agriculture and agribusiness continue to be the backbone of our state's economy, proving the nearly \$85 billion industry and its farmers are resilient and persevering.

I am proud of everything agriculture and agribusinesses contribute to our state, nation and world. This industry provides us with everyday essentials – food, clothing and shelter – while also creating jobs for more than 686,000 employees or 16 percent of North Carolina's workforce.

In many rural areas of our state, agriculture and agribusiness often represent the main industry for local communities, with agricultural dollars trickling down through all facets of the economy.

This book is a compilation of agricultural production in North Carolina, highlighting the rich diversity of farm commodities produced here from livestock to row crops and ornamental plants.

We have a lot to celebrate and be proud of agriculturally in North Carolina. Of the 48,000 farms across the state, more than 1,800 are part of the Century Family Farm Program, meaning they have been in continuous family ownership for 100 years or more. In 2017, we began recognizing Bicentennial Family Farms for farms with 200 years of continuous family ownership. To date, nearly 30 farms have received this prestigious honor.

I am reminded as I look over the information in this book that each of our farms represent a small business that helps ensure access to a safe and affordable food supply. I applaud the hard work and determination of these farmers and their families.

Sincerely,



Steven W. Troxler
N.C. Commissioner of Agriculture



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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE NATIONAL AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS SERVICE

Mission

The National Agricultural Statistics Service provides timely, accurate, and useful statistics in service to U.S. agriculture.

Overview

The USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service (NASS) conducts hundreds of surveys every year and prepares reports covering virtually every aspect of U.S. agriculture. Production and supplies of food and fiber, prices paid and received by farmers, farm labor and wages, farm finances, chemical use, and changes in the demographics of U.S. producers are only a few examples.

NASS is committed to providing timely, accurate, and useful statistics in service to U.S. agriculture.

To uphold our continuing commitment, NASS will:

- Report the facts on American agriculture, facts needed by people working in and depending upon U.S. agriculture.
- Provide objective and unbiased statistics on a preannounced schedule that is fair and impartial to all market participants.
- Conduct the Census of Agriculture every five years, providing the only source of consistent, comparable, and detailed agricultural data for every county in America.
- Serve the needs of our data users and customers at a local level through our network of State field offices and our cooperative relationship with universities and State Departments of Agriculture.
- Safeguard the privacy of farmers, ranchers, and other data providers, with a guarantee that confidentiality and data security continue to be our top priorities.

NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES

Mission

To provide services that promote and improve agriculture, agribusiness and forests; protect consumers and businesses; and conserve farmland and natural resources for the prosperity of all North Carolinians.

Overview

The N.C. Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services' divisions have responsibilities in regulatory and service areas covering agronomy; animal health; weights and measures; gas and oil inspection; crop and livestock statistics; USDA commodity distribution; state farm operations; food, drug and cosmetic testing for purity; agricultural marketing and promotion; agricultural marketing grading; international agricultural crop and livestock marketing; operation of the North Carolina State Fair and North Carolina Mountain State Fair; operation of four state farmers markets; research station operations; seed and fertilizer inspection; nursery and plant pest eradication activities; regulation of the structural pest control industry; agricultural environmental issues; soil and water conservation; forest management and protection; state and federal agricultural legislation; and agricultural economic analysis.

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STATISTICS PROGRAM

NC'S RANK
... IN U.S. AGRICULTURE ...

FARM REAL ESTATE VALUES

FARM NUMBERS

.....
Weather AND Climate

..... **SOIL MOISTURE**

STATISTICAL REPORTS PROGRAM

The USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service compiles current and historic statistics concerning agriculture in North Carolina. Where possible, information most often requested by farmers, the general public, and workers in government agencies are included. Reporting of crop and livestock statistics is a service provided to farmers and others in the State by the National Agricultural Statistics Service of the U.S. Department of Agriculture in cooperation with the North Carolina Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services. The collection and dissemination of agricultural statistics started in 1863. This is one of the oldest activities of the United States Department of Agriculture. It was recognized that there were advantages of a joint relationship between the State and Federal Governments in the development of agricultural statistics. In 1919, the N.C. Department of Agriculture entered into a cooperative agreement with the U.S. Department of Agriculture to provide detailed agricultural statistics. The agreement resulted in the creation of the Agricultural Statistics Division of the North Carolina Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services. The USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service publishes official statistics on North Carolina crops, livestock, prices, and various other agricultural items. The most requested reports and the approximate dates of releases are shown in the table below. These reports are free and available on the internet at www.ncagr.gov/stats, www.nass.usda.gov/Publications/index.asp, or by writing to: State Statistician, Agricultural Statistics, P.O. Box 27767, Raleigh, NC 27611 or E-mail at: ncagstat@ncagr.gov. Current and historical data series can be found at <http://quickstats.nass.usda.gov/>. For additional information regarding North Carolina agricultural statistics please email ncagstat@ncagr.gov.

TYPE OF REPORT	FREQUENCY OF REPORT	APPROX. DATE AVAILABLE
CROP REPORTS		
Annual Crop Production	Annually	Second Week in January
Annual Vegetable Production	Annually	Last Week in January
Prospective Plantings	Annually	Last Week in March
Acreage Report	Annually	Last Week in June
Annual Fruit & Nut Production	Annually	First Week in July
Small Grains Summary	Annually	Last Week in September
Field Crop Production	Monthly (In Season)	Second Week of Each Month
Grain Stocks	Quarterly	First Week in January, Last Week in March, June & September
WEATHER-CROPS REPORTS		
	Weekly (Monthly: Jan. - Mar.)	Monday, 4:00 p.m.
LIVESTOCK REPORTS		
Hog and Pig Inventory and Pig Crop	Quarterly	Last Week in March, June, September & December
Cattle Cow Inventory and Calf Crop	Annually	Third Week in February
Sheep & Goats	Annually	Last Week in January
Meat Animals - Farm Production, Disposition & Income	Annually	Last Week in April
Commercial Slaughter	Monthly	Third Week of Each Month
DAIRY REPORTS		
Cows Milked & Milk Production	Quarterly	Third Week in January, April, July & October
Milk Production & Disposition	Annually	Last Week in April
POULTRY REPORTS		
Broiler Report	Weekly	Wednesday, 3:00 pm
Eggs, Chicken, and Hatchery	Monthly	Third Week of Each Month
Turkeys Raised	Annually	Last Week in April
Poultry Production, Disposition, & Income	Annually	Last Week in April
ECONOMIC REPORTS		
Number of Farms & Land in Farms	Annually	Second Week in February
Prices Received By Farmers	Monthly	Last Week of Each Month
Prices Paid By Farmers	Annually	Last Week in April
Labor, Wage Rates	Bi-Annually	Third week in May & November

NORTH CAROLINA'S RANK IN U.S. AGRICULTURE, 2017

Rank	Item	Production		N.C. % of U.S.	Top 3 States		
					1	2	3
1	All Tobacco	360.0	(Mil Lbs)	50.7	NC	KY	VA
	Flue-cured Tobacco	358.6	(Mil Lbs)	77.8	NC	VA	GA
	Sweet Potatoes	19,690.0	(000 Cwt)	55.2	NC	CA	MS
2	All Poultry & Egg Cash Receipts	4,776.4	(Mil \$)	11.2	GA	NC	AR
	Annual Pig Crop Dec 16 - Nov 17	18.9	(Mil Hd)	14.6	IA	NC	MN
	Hogs & Pigs (12-1-17)	9.0	(Mil Hd)	12.2	IA	NC	MN
	Trout Sold (foodsize)	4.2	(Mil Lbs)	7.8	ID	NC	PA
	Turkeys	32.5	(Mil Hd)	13.4	MN	NC	AR
3	Cucumbers	1,680.0	(000 Cwt)	8.4	MI	FL	NC
	Strawberries : Fresh Market	148.5	(000 Cwt)	0.5	CA	FL	NC
4	Broilers	830.8	(Mil Hd)	9.3	GA	AL	AR
5	Bell Peppers	621.0	(000 Cwt)	4.2	CA	FL	NJ
	Burley Tobacco	1.4	(Mil Lbs)	0.9	KY	TN	PA
	Catfish Sold (foodsize)	2.6	(Mil Lbs)	0.8	MS	AL	AR
	Peanuts	479.7	(Mil Lbs)	6.6	GA	TX	AL
	Blueberries	25.7	(Mil Lbs)	4.9	WA	OR	MI
7	Cantaloup	225.5	(000 Cwt)	1.6	CA	AZ	FL
	Chickens (12-1-17) (Excludes Broilers)	23.4	(Mil Hd)	4.6	IA	IN	OH
	Eggs - Value of Production	460.1	(Mil \$)	6.1	IA	GA	IN
	Livestock, Dairy & Poultry Cash Receipts	7,744.8	(Mil \$)	4.4	TX	IA	NE
	Watermelon	1,950.0	(000 Cwt)	4.8	FL	CA	GA
	All Commodity Cash Receipts	11,433.0	(Mil \$)	3.1	CA	IA	TX
	Pumpkin	714.0	(000 Cwt)	4.6	IL	CA	OH
	Squash	223.1	(000 Cwt)	3.8	MI	OR	CA
	Upland Cotton ¹	741.0	(000 Bales)	3.7	TX	GA	MS
	9	Apples	100.0	(Mil Lbs)	0.9	WA	NY
Cabbage		700.0	(000 Cwt)	3.0	CA	NY	WI
Grapes		7,210.0	(Tons)	0.1	CA	WA	NY
Tomatoes		957.0	(000 Cwt)	0.4	CA	FL	IN
11	Sorghum	750.0	(000 Bu)	0.2	KS	TX	CO
15	Snap Beans	207.2	(000 Cwt)	1.1	WI	NY	MI
16	Potatoes	3,473.0	(000 Cwt)	0.8	ID	WA	WI
	Winter Wheat	20.6	(Mil Bu)	1.6	KS	WA	OK
17	Crop Cash Receipts	3,688.1	(Mil \$)	1.9	CA	IL	IA
	Soybeans	67.6	(Mil Bu)	1.5	IL	IA	MN
18	Corn for Grain	119.3	(Mil Bu)	0.8	IA	IL	NE
19	Peaches	2,600.0	(Tons)	0.4	CA	NJ	PA
22	Oats	660.0	(000 Bu)	1.3	MN	WI	ND
29	Milk	952.0	(Mil Lbs)	0.4	CA	WI	NY
32	Hay	1,503.0	(000 Tons)	1.1	TX	NE	KS
35	Cattle on Farms (1-1-18)	810.0	(000 Hd)	0.9	TX	NE	KS

¹ 480-lb. net weight bales.



FARM REAL ESTATE VALUES

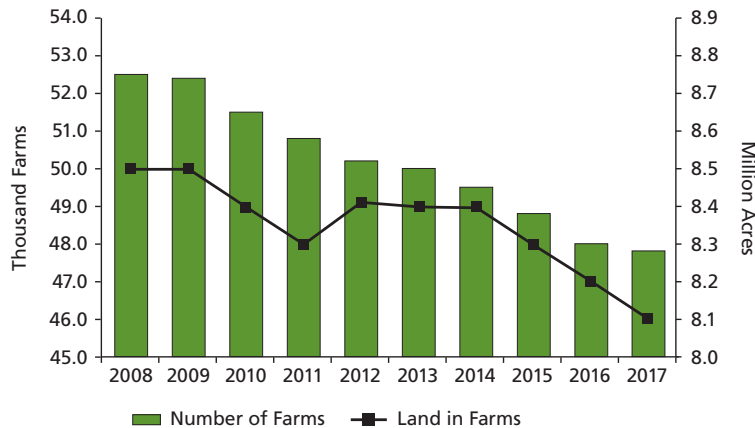
Year	Farm Real Estate Values per Acre January 1	Cropland		Pasture	
		Value per Acre	Cash Rent per Acre	Value per Acre	Cash Rent per Acre
<i>Dollars</i>					
2013	4,340	4,050	77.50	4,530	26.00
2014	4,510	4,200	84.50	4,760	26.00
2015	4,500	4,100	88.50	4,700	27.00
2016	4,450	3,970	83.50	4,700	27.00
2017	4,450	3,970	88.50	4,700	26.00
2018	4,480	3,990	87.00	4,660	28.00

NUMBER OF FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS ¹

Year	Number of Farms	Land in Farms	Average Size	Sales Class Estimates					
				\$1,000 - \$9,999	\$10,000 - \$99,999	\$100,000 +	\$1,000 - \$9,999	\$10,000 - \$99,999	\$100,000 +
	<i>Thousands</i>	<i>Thousand Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Number</i>			<i>Thousand Acres</i>		
NORTH CAROLINA									
2013	50.0	8,400	168	28,400	13,000	8,600	1,600	1,500	5,300
2014	49.5	8,400	170	28,000	12,800	8,700	1,500	1,500	5,400
2015	48.8	8,300	170	27,500	12,800	8,500	1,400	1,500	5,400
2016	48.0	8,200	171	26,500	12,800	8,700	1,300	1,500	5,400
2017	47.8	8,100	169	26,900	12,400	8,500	1,400	1,500	5,200
UNITED STATES									
2013	2,102	914,030	435	1,081,880	619,390	400,740	95,120	193,880	625,030
2014	2,085	913,000	438	1,055,160	622,650	407,190	90,800	193,820	628,380
2015	2,068	912,000	441	1,036,660	622,850	408,490	87,790	191,570	632,640
2016	2,060	911,000	442	1,031,410	620,830	407,760	86,940	191,980	632,080
2017	2,048	910,000	444	1,022,010	618,300	407,690	86,010	191,260	632,730

¹ A farm is any establishment from which \$1,000 or more of agricultural products were sold or would normally be sold during the year.

NUMBER OF FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS



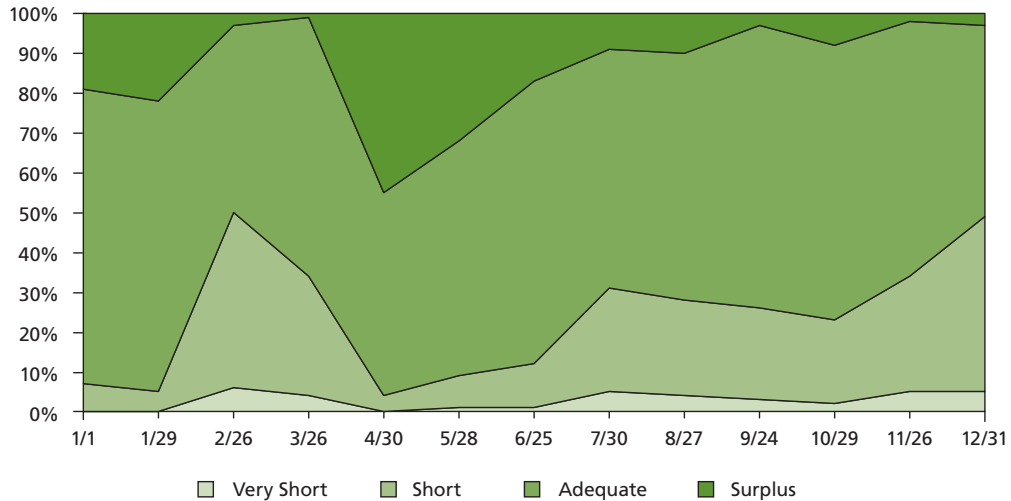
CLIMATOLOGICAL DATA, 2017

District	Average Temperatures												
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Average
	<i>Degrees Fahrenheit</i>												
N. Mountain	39.4	43.0	43.1	56.6	61.2	67.0	72.3	68.9	63.1	55.8	44.9	36.3	54.3
S. Mountain	42.4	45.9	46.6	59.3	63.7	69.3	74.2	71.4	65.5	57.9	48.1	39.1	57.0
N. Piedmont	43.4	50.3	50.0	63.3	67.1	73.6	79.3	75.8	70.2	62.5	48.4	40.8	60.4
C. Piedmont	43.9	50.3	49.9	64.0	67.6	74.0	79.6	76.4	70.5	62.3	48.6	41.5	60.7
S. Piedmont	46.2	52.3	51.7	64.8	69.4	75.4	80.6	77.9	72.1	63.8	51.0	43.5	62.4
N. Coastal	45.5	51.1	49.9	65.8	69.1	75.8	80.3	77.2	73.2	65.9	52.7	44.8	62.6
C. Coastal	48.3	52.9	51.8	66.5	70.7	76.3	80.9	78.4	74.2	66.5	53.1	45.5	63.8
S. Coastal	49.3	53.6	52.1	66.6	71.6	76.5	81.1	78.9	74.6	66.1	53.0	46.0	64.1

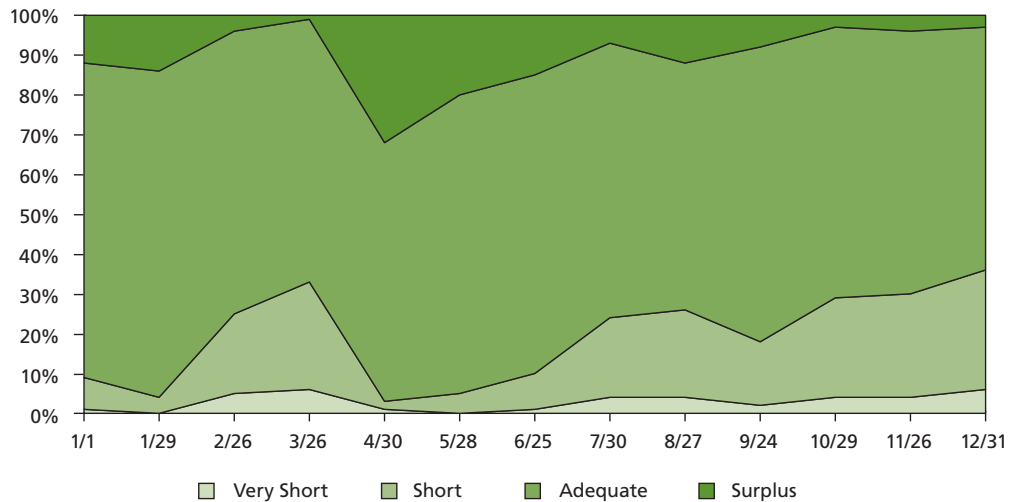
District	Precipitation												
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
	<i>Inches of Water</i>												
N. Mountain	5.09	1.32	4.45	7.31	9.91	3.45	4.62	4.26	4.51	8.44	1.48	1.74	56.58
S. Mountain	4.43	1.32	5.39	7.26	7.54	3.71	5.40	4.48	4.63	8.72	1.97	3.18	58.03
N. Piedmont	4.31	0.89	2.59	7.97	6.28	6.14	2.34	4.03	2.86	2.75	1.33	1.43	42.92
C. Piedmont	4.37	0.91	3.29	7.30	5.49	6.08	2.92	3.21	3.71	3.80	1.28	2.15	44.51
S. Piedmont	4.98	0.93	3.24	5.74	6.25	3.95	3.85	4.16	3.64	3.66	1.08	2.38	43.86
N. Coastal	3.81	1.08	4.10	5.75	5.69	5.37	5.95	6.07	3.82	3.12	1.71	3.72	50.19
C. Coastal	4.14	1.44	3.85	5.98	5.00	4.69	4.84	7.75	5.15	3.40	1.22	3.87	51.33
S. Coastal	3.11	1.58	2.95	6.90	4.70	5.56	5.88	7.16	5.63	3.37	0.90	4.23	51.97

SOURCE: National Climate Center, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration.

TOP-SOIL MOISTURE PERCENTS STATEWIDE, 2017



SUB-SOIL MOISTURE PERCENTS STATEWIDE, 2017





INCOME & PRICES

~ FARM INCOME ~

PRICES RECEIVED

.....
Prices Paid

DEFINITIONS & METHODOLOGY

Cash receipts for agricultural commodities are defined as the gross income from sales of crops, livestock, and livestock products during a calendar year. The USDA, Economic Research Service (ERS) uses USDA, National Agricultural Statistics Service (NASS) estimates to develop state level cash receipts. The county level cash receipts in this publication are based on the ERS state level cash receipts and various county data. To ensure respondent confidentiality, estimates at any level, including county estimates, are not published if those estimates would disclose any information about individual operations. More information about ERS and NASS data can be found at the following websites:

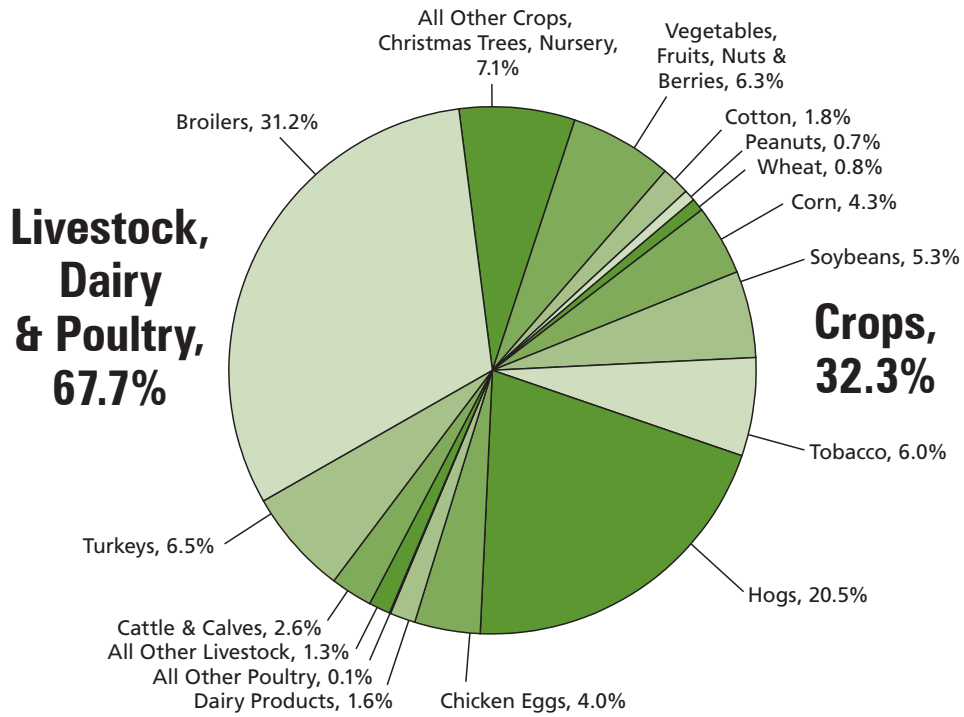
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SOURCE OF FARM CASH RECEIPTS, NORTH CAROLINA, 2017

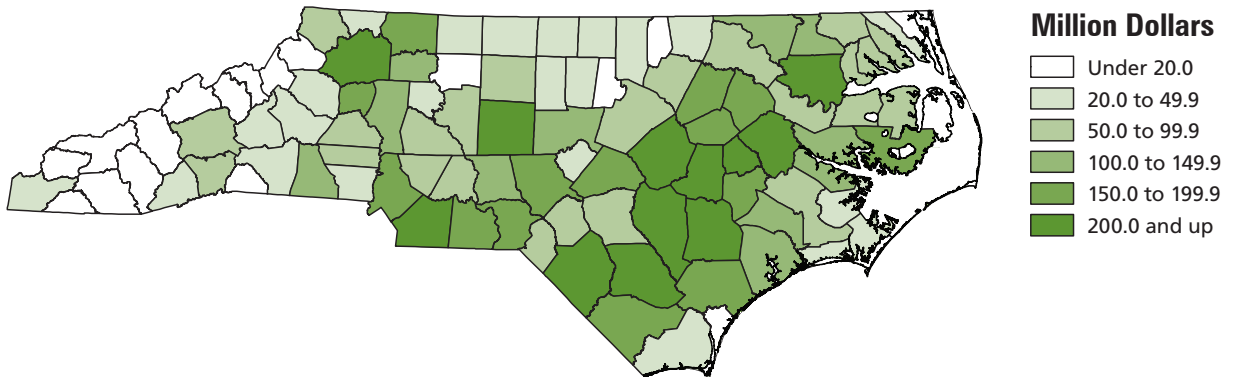
\$11,432,976,000



¹ All Other Crops includes hay, greenhouse, floriculture, nursery, cut Christmas trees, mushrooms and other miscellaneous crops.

COUNTY CASH RECEIPTS FROM FARM MARKETINGS, 2017

Includes Crops, Livestock & Government Payments



CASH RECEIPTS

from Farm Marketings by Commodity

Commodities	2014	2015	2016	2017	2017 % of Total Sales
	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>				<i>Percent ¹</i>
All commodities	12,947,415	11,647,747	10,565,954	11,432,976	100.0%
Animals and products	8,802,012	7,944,019	7,211,746	7,744,849	67.7%
Meat animals	3,312,491	2,672,907	2,352,759	2,638,717	23.1%
Cattle and calves	424,622	409,746	255,295	294,288	2.6%
Hogs	2,887,869	2,263,161	2,097,464	2,344,429	20.5%
Dairy products, Milk	245,435	182,094	164,160	177,848	1.6%
Poultry and eggs	5,096,187	4,940,555	4,542,089	4,776,377	41.8%
Broilers	3,849,710	3,452,400	3,091,561	3,570,435	31.2%
Chicken eggs	501,063	588,368	444,441	460,106	4.0%
Farm chickens	12,251	14,824	12,698	6,812	0.1%
Turkeys	733,163	884,963	993,389	739,024	6.5%
Miscellaneous animals and products	147,899	148,463	152,738	151,908	1.3%
Aquaculture	11,873	12,347	12,727	12,237	0.1%
Catfish	3,985	3,878	4,164	3,126	*
Trout	7,888	8,469	8,563	9,111	0.1%
Honey	1,801	2,435	2,122	1,957	*
Mohair	23	22	N/A	N/A	N/A
Other animals and products	134,156	133,612	137,836	137,675	1.2%
All other animals and products	133,300	133,300	133,300	133,300	1.2%
Mink pelts	856	312	4,536	4,375	*
Wool	46	48	53	39	*
Crops	4,145,403	3,703,728	3,354,208	3,688,127	32.3%
Food grains	226,418	154,932	76,288	94,559	0.8%
Rye	4,110	4,943	5,158	6,500	0.1%
Wheat	222,307	149,989	71,130	88,059	0.8%
Feed crops	575,676	451,545	533,403	558,992	4.9%
Barley	2,230	1,817	598	N/A	N/A
Corn	501,386	377,139	467,824	494,990	4.3%
Hay	69,498	70,734	60,191	58,796	0.5%
Oats	2,563	1,855	888	1,174	*
Sorghum	N/A	N/A	3,903	4,033	*
Cotton	411,957	222,673	155,734	201,004	1.8%
Cotton lint	351,418	172,366	127,751	178,733	1.6%
Cotton lint, Upland	351,418	172,366	127,751	178,733	1.6%
Cottonseed	60,538	50,307	27,982	22,272	0.2%
Tobacco	850,574	790,272	668,596	688,252	6.0%
Oil crops	705,589	703,584	554,370	687,569	6.0%
Peanuts	54,762	110,868	51,832	79,489	0.7%
Soybeans	650,827	592,716	502,538	608,080	5.3%
Vegetables and melons	513,372	507,677	500,910	609,402	5.3%
Potatoes	47,347	41,704	31,465	33,194	0.3%
Potatoes, Spring	47,347	41,704	9,992	N/A	N/A
Potatoes, Summer	N/A	N/A	21,473	33,194	0.3%
Sweet potatoes	348,480	316,996	309,510	346,544	3.0%
Beans, Snap	8,931	6,964	5,976	9,069	0.1%
Beans, Snap, Fresh	6,536	3,565	3,435	5,468	*
Beans, Snap, Processing	2,395	3,399	2,541	3,602	*
Cabbage	9,660	6,864	13,073	10,570	0.1%
Cabbage, Fresh	9,660	6,864	13,073	10,570	0.1%
Corn, Sweet	8,316	12,121	N/A	N/A	N/A
Corn, Sweet, Fresh	8,316	12,121	N/A	N/A	N/A
Cucumbers	13,260	15,232	5,345	28,699	0.3%
Cucumbers, Fresh	10,488	12,528	2,422	9,794	0.1%
Cucumbers, Processing	2,772	2,704	2,924	18,905	0.2%
Pumpkins	N/A	N/A	23,164	13,143	0.1%
Peppers, bell	19,404	21,714	18,975	27,914	0.2%
Squash	8,413	6,660	6,138	10,112	0.1%
Tomatoes	35,700	47,058	52,086	103,506	0.9%
Tomatoes, Fresh	35,700	47,058	52,086	103,506	0.9%
Cantaloupe	N/A	N/A	6,618	5,863	0.1%
Watermelon	13,860	32,364	28,560	20,787	0.2%
Fruits and nuts	139,732	135,180	127,343	110,775	1.0%
Apples	30,763	21,274	24,461	24,247	0.2%
Grapes	4,358	5,561	4,386	5,287	*
Peaches	6,235	6,983	4,644	4,004	*
Blueberries	74,968	77,910	66,924	53,797	0.5%
Strawberries	23,408	23,452	26,928	23,440	0.2%
All other crops	722,086	737,864	737,564	737,574	6.5%
Floriculture	230,826	241,578	N/A	N/A	N/A
Mushrooms	376	402	402	412	*
Miscellaneous crops	490,884	495,884	737,162	737,162	6.4%

SOURCE: Economic Research Service, USDA. ¹ Percents may not add due to rounding. * Less than 0.05 percent. N/A Not available or insufficient data.

FARM INCOME ¹

Cash Receipts from Farm Marketings and Government Payments, 2017

State	Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		Crops		Total		Government Payments ²		Total Cash Receipts	
	Receipts	Rank	Receipts	Rank	Receipts	Rank	Receipts	Rank	Receipts	Rank
<i>Receipts in Million Dollars</i>										
Alabama	4,393.3	14	1,106.2	33	5,499.5	26	204.9	20	5,704.4	26
Alaska	7.4	50	29.8	50	37.2	50	6.6	47	43.8	50
Arizona	1,750.7	29	3,089.8	20	4,840.6	28	34.7	38	4,875.2	29
Arkansas	5,316.6	10	3,708.6	16	9,025.1	14	650.2	4	9,675.3	13
California	11,187.1	4	38,945.0	1	50,132.0	1	178.7	22	50,310.7	1
Colorado	4,612.4	12	2,168.8	26	6,781.1	22	268.7	18	7,049.8	21
Connecticut	175.4	44	357.0	41	532.4	46	5.0	49	537.4	46
Delaware	1,072.8	39	281.5	43	1,354.4	39	22.1	39	1,376.5	39
Florida	1,760.6	28	5,706.8	11	7,467.4	18	91.8	30	7,559.2	19
Georgia	5,836.7	9	3,013.5	21	8,850.2	15	391.7	11	9,241.9	15
Hawaii	161.8	45	505.3	38	667.0	44	11.5	43	678.6	44
Idaho	4,380.5	15	2,962.5	22	7,343.0	20	162.4	24	7,505.3	20
Illinois	2,579.0	24	14,031.4	2	16,610.4	6	609.0	6	17,219.4	6
Indiana	3,728.3	18	6,907.7	8	10,636.0	10	373.2	13	11,009.2	10
Iowa	13,409.7	2	13,570.2	3	26,979.8	2	691.4	3	27,671.2	2
Kansas	9,529.5	5	6,314.4	10	15,843.9	7	621.9	5	16,465.8	7
Kentucky	3,199.3	23	2,486.4	23	5,685.7	25	169.4	23	5,855.1	25
Louisiana	1,096.2	37	1,997.6	28	3,093.8	33	293.4	16	3,387.1	33
Maine	312.5	43	392.8	40	705.2	43	13.4	41	718.6	43
Maryland	1,337.5	34	869.2	36	2,206.7	36	58.0	35	2,264.8	36
Massachusetts	114.0	48	267.5	44	381.5	47	6.8	46	388.3	47
Michigan	3,226.9	22	4,156.6	15	7,383.5	19	200.6	21	7,584.1	18
Minnesota	7,582.8	8	9,704.1	4	17,286.9	5	460.9	9	17,747.8	5
Mississippi	3,332.4	21	2,399.9	25	5,732.3	24	311.9	15	6,044.3	24
Missouri	4,536.3	13	5,472.1	12	10,008.4	12	423.2	10	10,431.6	12
Montana	1,709.8	30	1,804.7	30	3,514.5	31	374.6	12	3,889.0	30
Nebraska	12,463.8	3	8,993.0	5	21,456.8	4	803.4	2	22,260.3	4
Nevada	476.2	42	170.9	46	647.1	45	9.3	45	656.4	45
New Hampshire	114.2	47	94.1	48	208.3	48	6.3	48	214.7	48
New Jersey	133.6	46	948.9	34	1,082.5	40	12.3	42	1,094.8	40
New Mexico	2,218.7	27	732.2	37	2,950.9	34	96.1	29	3,047.0	34
New York	3,340.3	20	1,877.1	29	5,217.5	27	76.1	33	5,293.6	27
North Carolina	7,744.8	7	3,688.1	17	11,433.0	8	156.3	25	11,589.3	8
North Dakota	1,240.9	36	6,836.4	9	8,077.2	17	588.4	7	8,665.6	17
Ohio	3,389.7	19	5,248.8	13	8,638.6	16	358.5	14	8,997.0	16
Oklahoma	5,215.2	11	1,467.9	31	6,683.1	23	289.1	17	6,972.3	22
Oregon	1,558.5	31	3,202.3	19	4,760.8	29	123.6	28	4,884.4	28
Pennsylvania	4,316.7	16	2,482.8	24	6,799.5	21	88.4	31	6,887.9	23
Rhode Island	22.7	49	48.9	49	71.6	49	2.8	50	74.4	49
South Carolina	1,367.5	33	935.3	35	2,302.8	35	85.0	32	2,387.8	35
South Dakota	3,907.0	17	5,132.9	14	9,040.0	13	566.3	8	9,606.2	14
Tennessee	1,405.4	32	2,128.1	27	3,533.6	30	150.0	26	3,683.6	31
Texas	14,337.4	1	8,564.1	6	22,901.5	3	936.6	1	23,838.1	3
Utah	1,324.4	35	414.3	39	1,738.8	37	47.0	37	1,785.8	37
Vermont	617.0	40	198.7	45	815.7	41	10.7	44	826.4	41
Virginia	2,326.0	26	1,157.7	32	3,483.8	32	75.9	34	3,559.7	32
Washington	2,536.5	25	7,799.4	7	10,335.9	11	212.9	19	10,548.8	11
West Virginia	560.5	41	148.2	47	708.7	42	17.8	40	726.5	42
Wisconsin	7,972.0	6	3,439.3	18	11,411.4	9	134.4	27	11,545.8	9
Wyoming	1,095.7	38	347.9	42	1,443.5	38	48.3	36	1,491.9	38
United States	176,034.3	-	198,306.8	-	374,341.1	-	11,531.6	-	385,872.7	-

SOURCE: Economic Research Service, USDA. Note: Farm Forest Products are not included in cash receipts but are included in other farm-related income.

¹ Totals may not equal sum of states due to rounding. ² Amounts include cash payments made directly to farmers, not including Farmer-owned Reserve Payments as these data are not available by State. Amounts also include certificate exchange gains and marketing loan gains.

CASH RECEIPTS AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS

Year	All Commodities	Livestock, Dairy & Poultry	Crops	Government Payments	Year	All Commodities	Livestock, Dairy & Poultry	Crops	Government Payments
<i>Million Dollars</i>					<i>Million Dollars</i>				
1938	216.2	35.0	181.2	16.5	1978	3,156.8	1,274.1	1,882.7	34.8
1939	219.5	34.6	184.9	19.9	1979	3,229.4	1,389.4	1,840.0	8.3
1940	201.2	33.9	167.3	14.9	1980	3,427.5	1,447.1	1,980.4	13.2
1941	238.1	44.3	238.8	14.5	1981	3,953.7	1,604.2	2,349.5	15.5
1942	424.2	64.9	359.3	22.4	1982	3,914.3	1,620.6	2,293.7	16.5
1943	482.5	99.6	383.0	14.3	1983	3,633.7	1,683.4	1,950.3	67.1
1944	611.4	107.4	504.0	16.4	1984	4,187.8	1,928.3	2,259.5	71.9
1945	629.1	120.9	508.2	9.3	1985	3,931.2	1,957.7	1,973.4	42.6
1946	745.4	119.9	625.5	9.7	1986	3,764.9	2,171.1	1,593.8	90.3
1947	759.5	135.2	624.3	8.1	1987	3,767.4	2,115.2	1,652.2	190.2
1948	783.1	153.0	630.1	7.9	1988	4,150.3	2,182.0	1,968.4	146.0
1949	739.3	156.5	582.8	7.6	1989	4,630.9	2,517.5	2,113.4	93.9
1950	829.7	164.7	665.0	8.8	1990	5,230.9	2,645.7	2,585.2	73.3
1951	967.6	197.7	769.9	8.0	1991	5,263.0	2,622.9	2,640.1	52.8
1952	942.1	203.2	738.9	6.8	1992	5,561.6	2,784.2	2,777.4	74.8
1953	922.0	222.3	699.7	3.9	1993	6,017.6	3,168.5	2,849.1	132.4
1954	934.4	224.5	709.9	6.1	1994	6,427.7	3,327.7	3,100.0	77.6
1955	938.4	222.2	716.2	7.3	1995	6,897.8	3,731.0	3,166.8	41.5
1956	976.7	235.9	740.8	10.5	1996	7,869.4	4,441.5	3,427.9	78.4
1957	840.1	260.9	579.2	26.4	1997	8,227.1	4,723.3	3,503.7	87.7
1958	971.8	299.6	672.2	37.5	1998	7,185.1	3,956.4	3,228.8	129.4
1959	946.2	283.4	662.7	10.6	1999	6,695.4	3,839.6	2,855.8	290.5
1960	1,047.5	312.4	735.0	12.8	2000	7,308.6	4,299.9	3,008.7	449.1
1961	1,117.3	325.2	792.1	32.0	2001	7,581.3	4,654.5	2,926.7	410.6
1962	1,144.6	346.5	798.0	39.5	2002	6,590.1	3,939.7	2,650.4	339.9
1963	1,161.8	351.0	810.8	31.8	2003	6,932.9	4,183.7	2,749.3	363.9
1964	1,221.3	364.9	856.5	35.2	2004	8,203.6	5,355.6	2,848.0	209.5
1965	1,164.8	398.0	766.9	43.4	2005	8,147.4	5,620.8	2,526.6	1,194.2
1966	1,278.5	475.8	802.7	62.8	2006	7,901.8	5,175.7	2,726.1	738.4
1967	1,292.7	460.7	832.0	61.7	2007	8,805.2	5,900.8	2,904.5	569.8
1968	1,247.0	504.9	742.1	61.6	2008	9,472.1	6,293.9	3,178.2	518.6
1969	1,408.7	596.2	812.5	69.8	2009	9,108.0	5,668.2	3,439.8	456.1
1970	1,500.6	600.6	900.0	59.7	2010	9,777.0	6,333.6	3,443.4	438.4
1971	1,481.7	580.8	900.9	41.0	2011	10,333.0	6,802.1	3,530.9	401.1
1972	1,632.5	635.7	996.8	57.5	2012	11,549.4	7,344.2	4,205.2	430.4
1973	2,326.2	964.3	1,361.9	35.9	2013	12,672.2	8,305.6	4,366.6	411.3
1974	2,582.5	919.0	1,663.5	8.1	2014	12,947.4	8,802.0	4,145.4	346.1
1975	2,626.1	989.1	1,637.0	8.9	2015	11,647.7	7,944.0	3,703.7	91.1
1976	2,833.7	1,076.9	1,756.8	7.8	2016	10,566.0	7,211.7	3,354.2	180.1
1977	2,630.3	1,062.3	1,568.0	21.6	2017	11,433.0	7,744.8	3,688.1	156.3

SOURCE: Economic Research Service, USDA

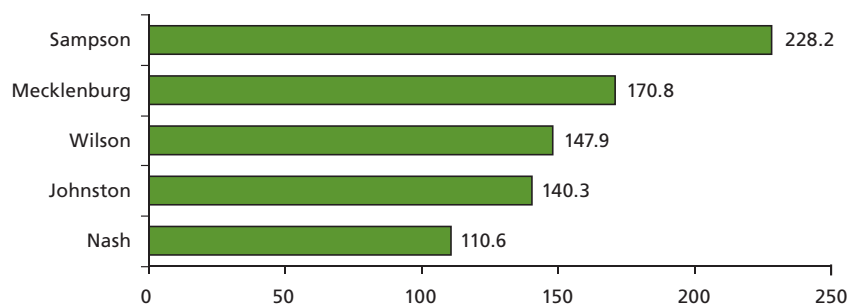
TOP TEN COUNTIES IN FARM CASH RECEIPTS

Livestock		Crops		Total ¹	
County	Thousand Dollars	County	Thousand Dollars	County	Thousand Dollars
Duplin	957,082	Sampson	228,167	Sampson	1,117,985
Sampson	883,867	Mecklenburg	170,762	Duplin	1,063,120
Union	406,785	Johnston	147,888	Union	492,755
Wayne	317,881	Wilson	140,312	Wayne	415,798
Robeson	300,526	Nash	110,629	Robeson	414,170
Bladen	286,662	Wayne	108,898	Bladen	364,634
Wilkes	267,860	Duplin	99,989	Wilkes	282,548
Randolph	217,884	Edgecombe	91,532	Johnston	251,581
Anson	181,494	Robeson	91,483	Greene	239,617
Alexander	179,523	Greene	90,737	Randolph	235,512

¹ Includes government payments.

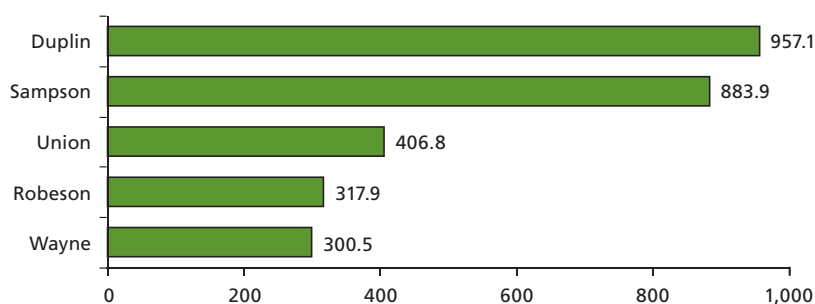
CROPS CASH RECEIPTS LEADING COUNTIES

(Million Dollars)



LIVESTOCK CASH RECEIPTS LEADING COUNTIES

(Million Dollars)



TOP TEN COUNTIES IN FARM CASH RECEIPTS FOR SPECIFIED COMMODITIES ¹

Rank	Hogs	Broilers	All Other Crops ²	All Tobacco	Turkeys	Vegetables, Fruit & Nuts	Cotton
1	Duplin	Duplin	Mecklenburg	Sampson	Sampson	Sampson	Northampton
2	Sampson	Union	Ashe	Wilson	Duplin	Johnston	Halifax
3	Bladen	Wilkes	Henderson	Johnston	Wayne	Wilson	Martin
4	Wayne	Robeson	Buncombe	Nash	Union	Nash	Bertie
5	Robeson	Sampson	Wilson	Wayne	Bladen	Bladen	Edgecombe
6	Greene	Randolph	Wake	Greene	Onslow	Greene	Hertford
7	Jones	Richmond	Union	Edgecombe	Greene	Duplin	Robeson
8	Pender	Bertie	Franklin	Harnett	Lenoir	Henderson	Jones
9	Lenoir	Alexander	McDowell	Person	Anson	Pasquotank	Sampson
10	Pitt	Anson	Avery	Lenoir	Cumberland	Wayne	Hyde
Rank	Soybeans	Cattle	Corn	Eggs	Dairy	Peanuts	Wheat
1	Beaufort	Iredell	Robeson	Union	Iredell	Martin	Union
2	Robeson	Randolph	Beaufort	Iredell ³	Randolph	Bertie	Perquimans
3	Union	Wilkes	Hyde	Yadkin ³	Lincoln	Halifax	Robeson
4	Sampson	Chatham	Duplin	Alexander	Alexander ⁴	Pitt	Wayne
5	Pasquotank	Sampson	Washington	Surry	Alleghany ⁴	Edgecombe	Sampson
6	Wayne	Alexander ⁵	Columbus	Randolph	Guilford ⁴	Chowan	Beaufort
7	Pitt	Alleghany ⁵	Sampson	Duplin	Henderson ⁴	Hertford	Tyrrell
8	Perquimans	Surry	Union	Wilkes	Davidson ⁶	Northampton	Stanly
9	Edgecombe	Duplin	Tyrrell	Guilford ⁷	Rowan ⁶	Gates	Duplin
10	Duplin	Ashe ⁸	Camden	Nash ⁷	Yadkin	Greene	Cleveland
		Cleveland ⁸					
		Union ⁸					
		Yadkin ⁸					

¹ Ranking of published numbers only. ² All Other Crops includes hay, greenhouse, floriculture, nursery, cut Christmas trees, mushrooms and other miscellaneous crops.

³ Ranked 2nd, ⁴ Ranked 4th, ⁵ Ranked 6th, ⁶ Ranked 8th, ⁷ Ranked 9th, ⁸ Ranked 10th.

CASH RECEIPTS FROM FARM MARKETINGS AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS ^{1 2}

Counties	Total		Livestock		Crops		Government Payments	
	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017
	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>							
Alamance	32,723	34,334	18,393	19,744	14,324	14,533	6	57
Alexander	168,978	190,901	160,243	181,494	8,727	9,312	7	96
Alleghany	33,335	34,356	13,372	14,598	19,945	19,720	18	38
Anson	184,205	197,925	167,625	179,523	16,075	17,529	505	874
Ashe	52,178	53,271	8,444	9,470	43,591	43,751	144	51
Avery	19,332	19,441	1,016	1,059	18,280	18,342	37	41
Beaufort	96,413	108,693	27,139	26,878	63,552	77,083	5,722	4,732
Bertie	194,589	223,615	133,753	154,445	46,617	61,235	14,219	7,935
Bladen	345,921	364,634	274,348	286,662	65,312	73,881	6,261	4,090
Brunswick	42,915	47,903	20,619	22,326	21,858	25,294	438	283
Buncombe	52,035	54,521	9,222	10,126	42,782	44,042	32	353
Burke	39,074	42,970	27,588	30,962	11,405	11,890	80	117
Cabarrus	50,231	50,358	38,621	38,016	11,499	12,084	110	258
Caldwell	19,198	20,569	9,323	10,396	9,718	10,144	156	28
Camden	38,245	43,211	1,682	1,622	35,508	39,701	1,055	1,887
Carteret	21,457	23,519	948	936	20,191	22,348	317	235
Caswell	28,512	29,717	12,695	13,607	15,727	16,022	91	88
Catawba	69,958	79,455	53,282	60,775	16,542	18,429	134	252
Chatham	114,222	129,078	105,874	119,911	8,230	9,119	117	48
Cherokee	31,428	33,065	21,983	22,978	9,174	9,772	270	315
Chowan	45,178	50,821	11,552	13,308	29,564	35,196	4,062	2,317
Clay	3,127	3,378	845	900	2,188	2,281	94	197
Cleveland	122,484	137,627	108,676	120,284	12,740	16,265	1,067	1,079
Columbus	129,829	150,593	68,741	79,834	55,976	65,332	5,112	5,427
Craven	45,826	55,667	16,509	20,604	28,316	33,178	1,000	1,885
Cumberland	89,624	92,713	50,913	52,059	37,068	39,236	1,644	1,418
Currituck	14,093	16,159	97	107	13,097	14,696	899	1,356
Dare	1,190	1,358	51	52	854	1,088	286	218
Davidson	53,409	59,325	36,284	40,897	16,822	18,168	304	261
Davie	21,862	23,262	13,199	13,697	8,242	9,217	421	348
Duplin	999,926	1,063,120	897,216	957,082	95,827	99,989	6,884	6,049
Durham	8,972	9,357	2,161	2,241	6,797	7,095	14	21
Edgecombe	145,994	159,605	52,742	60,654	82,181	91,532	11,071	7,418
Forsyth	13,207	13,573	3,603	3,693	9,227	9,464	377	416
Franklin	63,935	74,114	21,409	24,528	42,370	49,141	157	445
Gaston	19,425	21,425	14,737	16,458	4,601	4,806	86	161
Gates	64,708	68,064	36,654	41,915	19,944	21,844	8,109	4,305
Graham	3,654	3,664	2,979	2,927	652	691	23	47
Granville	23,282	24,308	4,672	5,099	18,459	19,089	151	120
Greene	229,280	239,617	147,438	146,146	79,556	90,737	2,286	2,734
Guilford	56,048	55,728	26,539	27,394	29,377	28,134	133	200
Halifax	91,182	98,516	22,107	23,092	61,116	67,394	7,958	8,030
Harnett	182,533	197,979	123,717	134,142	57,425	62,000	1,391	1,837
Haywood	15,705	17,444	9,028	9,777	6,631	7,155	47	512
Henderson	69,579	73,914	7,710	8,401	60,932	64,993	938	520
Hertford	91,565	101,785	51,184	59,610	34,686	38,364	5,696	3,811
Hoke	60,075	61,780	48,838	49,960	10,157	11,145	1,080	675
Hyde	154,697	168,708	100,227	103,611	48,872	61,774	5,598	3,323
Iredell	130,620	144,913	106,520	114,911	22,741	28,658	1,360	1,344
Jackson	9,566	9,920	730	787	8,682	9,063	154	70

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Counties	Total		Livestock		Crops		Government Payments	
	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017
Thousand Dollars								
Johnston	233,121	251,581	97,766	107,586	133,552	140,312	1,803	3,683
Jones	113,064	132,334	85,526	96,719	25,475	33,385	2,062	2,231
Lee	35,082	36,832	19,796	22,318	15,223	14,345	63	169
Lenoir	190,819	191,170	125,368	120,871	64,142	68,419	1,310	1,880
Lincoln	52,416	59,326	45,483	51,858	6,832	7,219	101	249
McDowell	26,953	27,737	8,429	9,155	18,491	18,526	33	56
Macon	11,079	10,968	8,689	8,502	2,255	2,283	135	182
Madison	6,439	7,116	2,320	2,624	4,106	4,259	13	233
Martin	79,778	85,078	15,981	17,888	47,877	59,693	15,920	7,497
Mecklenburg	174,545	174,660	3,912	3,874	170,633	170,762	*	25
Mitchell	2,664	2,764	567	620	2,090	2,142	6	1
Montgomery	107,669	123,047	99,582	114,728	7,834	8,291	253	28
Moore	136,030	155,417	119,211	138,632	16,732	16,721	86	65
Nash	169,452	190,101	67,183	76,460	98,684	110,629	3,585	3,012
New Hanover	6,186	6,083	227	229	5,949	5,816	10	39
Northampton	113,148	126,376	61,052	70,543	44,048	49,738	8,048	6,095
Onslow	151,731	143,801	126,551	117,081	24,927	25,744	252	976
Orange	36,018	36,529	18,296	19,119	17,504	17,328	219	81
Pamlico	22,821	27,241	719	698	20,013	24,818	2,090	1,725
Pasquotank	57,974	66,187	402	398	56,874	64,273	698	1,516
Pender	153,556	172,689	117,142	132,543	36,093	38,828	321	1,318
Perquimans	81,420	92,793	44,440	50,232	34,226	39,721	2,754	2,840
Person	34,644	36,333	4,725	5,176	29,869	30,951	51	206
Pitt	189,041	209,195	110,031	121,292	70,283	81,995	8,727	5,908
Polk	10,279	10,490	4,555	4,673	5,574	5,696	150	121
Randolph	209,448	235,512	192,309	217,884	16,918	17,449	221	178
Richmond	160,566	183,742	154,044	176,694	6,180	6,866	343	183
Robeson	360,852	415,798	275,173	317,881	82,174	91,483	3,504	6,433
Rockingham	28,919	29,642	6,570	7,550	22,237	21,868	111	225
Rowan	70,146	76,447	33,231	37,339	36,307	38,340	608	767
Rutherford	24,935	28,711	21,927	25,033	2,772	3,270	236	409
Sampson	1,095,368	1,117,985	880,606	883,867	209,059	228,167	5,703	5,951
Scotland	84,393	95,002	72,183	82,066	11,137	12,101	1,073	835
Stanly	88,493	85,280	59,136	60,359	27,608	23,498	1,749	1,423
Stokes	27,316	28,080	14,275	15,238	12,980	12,821	61	21
Surry	174,177	194,107	137,562	156,354	35,998	37,211	618	541
Swain	1,198	1,215	859	835	322	345	18	35
Transylvania	25,346	25,677	7,541	7,374	17,801	18,249	4	54
Tyrrell	46,572	57,591	6,009	7,194	37,053	47,823	3,510	2,574
Union	466,088	492,755	391,173	406,785	73,892	82,451	1,023	3,520
Vance	13,315	13,123	719	768	12,480	12,180	116	174
Wake	57,130	56,719	7,891	7,959	48,574	48,300	665	460
Warren	23,807	25,637	12,177	13,330	11,444	12,079	185	228
Washington	71,955	80,974	18,722	18,231	48,117	58,539	5,117	4,204
Watauga	13,013	13,803	6,451	7,062	6,498	6,551	64	190
Wayne	417,094	414,170	314,247	300,526	99,133	108,898	3,714	4,745
Wilkes	247,297	282,548	233,949	267,860	12,938	14,508	409	180
Wilson	141,929	163,293	9,834	12,599	129,081	147,888	3,015	2,806
Yadkin	100,080	109,129	72,228	78,602	25,734	29,024	2,118	1,503
Yancey	6,070	6,517	1,732	1,943	4,330	4,369	9	205
Published Counties	10,746,963	11,589,276	7,211,746	7,744,849	3,354,208	3,688,127	181,008	156,298
Other Counties	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
State Total	10,746,963	11,589,276	7,211,746	7,744,849	3,354,208	3,688,127	181,008	156,298

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Counties	Broilers		Cattle & Calves		Dairy		Eggs	
	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017
	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>							
Alamance	2,492	2,965	5,383	6,176	4,378	4,347	4,843	5,007
Alexander	120,083	138,812	7,382	8,538	5,472	5,928	27,002	27,918
Alleghany	*	*	7,382	8,538	5,837	5,928	*	*
Anson	110,265	127,209	3,445	3,997	*	*	9,245	9,559
Ashe	*	*	5,998	7,085	365	395	85	88
Avery	*	*	461	509	*	*	*	*
Beaufort	*	*	400	436	*	*	*	*
Bertie	124,236	143,539	246	291	*	*	*	*
Bladen	42,671	49,422	954	1,090	*	*	*	*
Brunswick	*	*	584	654	*	*	44	46
Buncombe	24	28	4,552	5,268	2,918	3,162	273	282
Burke	20,580	23,637	1,292	1,490	*	*	4,696	4,855
Cabarrus	11,895	13,752	3,845	4,360	4,378	4,743	*	*
Caldwell	4,909	5,587	1,661	1,926	*	*	*	*
Camden	*	*	31	36	*	*	*	*
Carteret	*	*	92	109	*	*	41	42
Caswell	*	*	2,707	3,125	*	*	8,218	8,649
Catawba	42,671	49,422	4,091	4,723	1,459	1,581	2,348	2,428
Chatham	75,146	86,811	11,842	13,624	4,013	4,743	9,098	9,407
Cherokee	*	*	1,415	1,635	*	*	*	*
Chowan	10,007	11,603	400	436	*	*	*	*
Clay	*	*	523	581	*	*	*	*
Cleveland	85,342	98,844	6,152	7,085	2,189	2,371	*	*
Columbus	11,517	13,323	2,707	3,125	*	*	73	76
Craven	*	*	308	363	*	*	*	*
Cumberland	8,119	9,455	892	1,017	*	*	*	*
Currituck	*	*	62	73	*	*	*	*
Dare	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Davidson	23,035	26,645	3,845	4,360	5,107	5,533	3,228	3,338
Davie	*	*	3,199	3,633	1,824	1,976	3,228	3,338
Duplin	259,801	299,972	6,921	7,993	365	395	13,501	13,959
Durham	*	*	677	763	365	395	73	76
Edgecombe	25,867	29,868	646	727	*	*	*	*
Forsyth	*	*	1,169	1,344	*	*	82	85
Franklin	6,608	7,521	4,921	5,631	*	*	*	*
Gaston	8,496	9,670	2,338	2,689	2,554	2,767	572	592
Gates	30,587	35,240	246	291	*	*	*	*
Graham	*	*	277	327	*	*	*	*
Granville	*	*	2,245	2,580	1,824	1,976	41	42
Greene	12,273	14,182	461	509	*	*	*	*
Guilford	*	*	4,460	5,086	5,107	5,928	10,419	10,773
Halifax	*	*	3,076	3,633	*	*	*	*
Harnett	95,160	110,018	2,184	2,543	*	*	47	49
Haywood	*	*	3,137	3,633	4,013	4,347	47	49
Henderson	5	6	1,599	1,853	5,472	5,928	56	58
Hertford	40,783	46,844	92	109	*	*	*	*
Hoke	20,391	23,637	400	436	*	*	*	*
Hyde	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Iredell	7,175	8,380	15,225	17,439	47,424	51,378	33,752	34,898
Jackson	12	13	523	581	*	*	38	39

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Counties	Broilers		Cattle & Calves		Dairy		Eggs	
	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017
	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>							
Johnston	35,119	40,612	3,999	4,541	*	*	880	910
Jones	11,140	12,893	338	400	*	*	*	*
Lee	15,105	17,405	1,169	1,381	*	*	*	*
Lenoir	7,741	9,025	707	799	*	*	3,522	3,642
Lincoln	29,643	34,381	4,460	5,268	10,214	11,066	100	103
McDowell	3,776	4,298	769	872	*	*	2,377	2,458
Macon	*	*	861	981	*	*	35	36
Madison	*	*	1,846	2,144	*	*	117	121
Martin	10,007	11,603	246	291	*	*	*	*
Mecklenburg	*	*	646	727	*	*	*	*
Mitchell	*	*	461	509	*	*	*	*
Montgomery	91,761	105,721	1,599	1,853	*	*	*	*
Moore	100,446	116,035	3,568	4,178	*	*	939	971
Nash	41,916	48,563	2,368	2,725	*	*	10,419	10,773
New Hanover	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Northampton	35,874	41,472	277	327	*	*	*	*
Onslow	20,014	22,992	584	654	*	*	*	*
Orange	54	62	3,076	3,633	2,554	2,767	4,843	5,007
Pamlico	*	*	31	36	*	*	*	*
Pasquotank	*	*	92	109	*	*	*	*
Pender	36,440	42,116	677	763	*	*	4,549	4,704
Perquimans	41,160	47,273	215	254	*	*	*	*
Person	*	*	2,399	2,761	*	*	*	*
Pitt	40,028	45,984	861	981	*	*	*	*
Polk	*	*	1,015	1,163	*	*	38	39
Randolph	138,208	159,440	13,995	16,168	16,416	17,785	15,849	16,387
Richmond	135,187	156,432	584	654	*	*	3,375	3,490
Robeson	188,054	217,458	2,491	2,907	*	*	59	61
Rockingham	*	*	3,076	3,633	*	*	*	*
Rowan	16,993	19,554	5,690	6,721	5,107	5,533	1,761	1,821
Rutherford	18,314	21,058	2,338	2,689	*	*	68	70
Sampson	154,446	178,350	8,459	9,810	*	*	8,805	9,104
Scotland	47,958	55,439	400	436	*	*	*	*
Stanly	33,986	39,108	3,999	4,541	*	*	*	*
Stokes	*	*	3,999	4,541	*	*	8,805	9,256
Surry	104,600	120,762	7,074	8,175	*	*	19,811	20,484
Swain	*	*	123	145	*	*	*	*
Transylvania	9	11	738	836	*	*	56	58
Tyrrell	*	*	92	109	*	*	*	*
Union	243,186	280,632	6,152	7,085	*	*	41,089	42,484
Vance	*	*	492	545	*	*	*	*
Wake	23	26	1,077	1,235	*	*	100	103
Warren	*	*	2,307	2,652	*	*	*	*
Washington	*	*	431	472	*	*	*	*
Watauga	*	*	4,460	5,086	*	*	50	52
Wayne	55,888	64,464	2,645	3,088	*	*	2,818	2,913
Wilkes	203,914	235,508	12,150	13,988	4,378	4,347	12,033	12,594
Wilson	*	*	369	400	*	*	*	*
Yadkin	24,923	28,794	6,152	7,085	4,742	5,138	33,752	34,898
Yancey	*	*	1,200	1,381	365	395	35	36
Published Counties	3,086,061	3,563,877	255,203	294,179	148,838	160,854	307,337	318,226
Other Counties	5,500	6,558	92	109	15,322	16,994	137,104	141,880
State Total	3,091,561	3,570,435	255,295	294,288	164,160	177,848	444,441	460,106

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Counties	Hogs		Turkeys		Other Livestock & Poultry	
	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017
	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>					
Alamance	*	*	*	*	1,269	1,218
Alexander	*	*	*	*	283	271
Alleghany	*	*	*	*	85	81
Anson	10,375	13,546	34,101	25,013	85	81
Ashe	*	*	*	*	1,927	1,849
Avery	*	*	*	*	409	392
Beaufort	10,600	10,680	*	*	15,171	14,555
Bertie	*	*	*	*	472	453
Bladen	166,895	187,554	60,789	45,478	361	347
Brunswick	19,170	20,839	*	*	821	787
Buncombe	*	*	*	*	1,223	1,173
Burke	*	*	*	*	1,011	970
Cabarrus	*	*	*	*	1,664	1,597
Caldwell	*	*	*	*	1,249	1,198
Camden	*	*	*	*	1,634	1,568
Carteret	*	*	*	*	801	768
Caswell	*	*	*	*	539	518
Catawba	*	*	*	*	2,623	2,517
Chatham	1,579	1,302	*	*	4,182	4,012
Cherokee	*	*	*	*	814	781
Chowan	1,128	1,250	*	*	3	3
Clay	*	*	*	*	264	254
Cleveland	45	52	11,713	8,755	2,267	2,175
Columbus	51,873	61,216	*	*	643	617
Craven	14,660	18,755	*	*	1,488	1,427
Cumberland	21,426	26,049	18,978	14,098	1,472	1,412
Currituck	*	*	*	*	29	28
Dare	*	*	*	*	35	34
Davidson	*	*	*	*	954	915
Davie	*	*	*	*	4,931	4,731
Duplin	462,344	520,984	154,198	113,696	86	83
Durham	*	*	*	*	1,029	987
Edgecombe	24,809	28,654	*	*	889	853
Forsyth	*	*	*	*	2,301	2,208
Franklin	6,089	7,554	*	*	1,866	1,790
Gaston	113	104	*	*	663	636
Gates	5,413	5,991	*	*	394	378
Graham	*	*	*	*	2,662	2,554
Granville	316	260	*	*	240	230
Greene	77,809	88,567	54,859	40,931	1,996	1,915
Guilford	1,804	1,042	*	*	4,649	4,460
Halifax	13,532	13,546	*	*	746	715
Harnett	22,553	18,234	*	*	1,772	1,701
Haywood	*	*	*	*	1,740	1,670
Henderson	*	*	*	*	566	543
Hertford	*	*	*	*	159	153
Hoke	20,073	19,537	6,227	4,662	1,668	1,600
Hyde	*	*	*	*	374	359
Iredell	*	*	*	*	2,850	2,734
Jackson	*	*	*	*	123	118

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Counties	Hogs		Turkeys		Other Livestock & Poultry	
	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017
<i>Thousand Dollars</i>						
Johnston	42,851	49,494	10,675	7,959	4,242	4,070
Jones	65,405	76,845	8,303	6,253	320	307
Lee	*	*	*	*	1,001	960
Lenoir	65,405	71,635	47,445	35,246	547	525
Lincoln	90	104	*	*	975	936
McDowell	*	*	*	*	686	659
Macon	*	*	*	*	7,747	7,432
Madison	*	*	*	*	217	209
Martin	*	*	*	*	502	481
Mecklenburg	*	*	*	*	3,172	3,044
Mitchell	*	*	*	*	45	43
Montgomery	3,834	4,689	*	*	38	37
Moore	*	*	*	*	2,981	2,860
Nash	12,404	14,327	*	*	75	72
New Hanover	*	*	*	*	169	162
Northampton	24,809	28,654	*	*	81	78
Onslow	47,362	49,494	57,824	43,204	746	716
Orange	1,015	1,172	*	*	6,743	6,469
Pamlico	*	*	*	*	667	640
Pasquotank	*	*	*	*	78	75
Pender	59,766	72,938	14,678	11,029	995	954
Perquimans	*	*	*	*	2,269	2,177
Person	902	912	*	*	298	286
Pitt	57,511	63,821	*	*	8,206	7,873
Polk	*	*	*	*	3,245	3,113
Randolph	5,638	5,991	*	*	2,202	2,113
Richmond	14,660	15,890	*	*	237	227
Robeson	76,681	91,172	6,375	4,775	1,367	1,311
Rockingham	451	781	*	*	891	855
Rowan	*	*	*	*	1,419	1,361
Rutherford	*	*	*	*	898	862
Sampson	453,323	494,935	250,571	186,461	1,720	1,650
Scotland	*	*	*	*	133	127
Stanly	789	781	17,496	12,961	275	264
Stokes	*	*	*	*	952	914
Surry	*	*	*	*	953	914
Swain	*	*	*	*	676	649
Transylvania	*	*	*	*	6,690	6,419
Tyrrell	*	*	*	*	41	39
Union	*	*	96,374	71,628	3,099	2,973
Vance	*	*	*	*	202	194
Wake	*	*	*	*	6,467	6,205
Warren	*	*	*	*	640	614
Washington	*	*	*	*	6,562	6,296
Watauga	*	*	*	*	1,771	1,700
Wayne	126,299	134,153	121,579	90,957	3,925	3,765
Wilkes	*	*	*	*	1,430	1,371
Wilson	6,315	8,596	*	*	614	589
Yadkin	*	*	*	*	628	602
Yancey	*	*	*	*	115	111
Published Counties	1,998,116	2,232,105	972,187	723,107	165,436	158,720
Other Counties	99,348	112,324	21,202	15,917	*	*
State Total	2,097,464	2,344,429	993,389	739,024	165,436	158,720

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Counties	Corn		Cotton		Peanuts		Soybean	
	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017
	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>							
Alamance	1,794	1,224	*	*	*	*	1,237	1,781
Alexander	399	361	*	*	*	*	*	738
Alleghany	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Anson	*	4,166	*	*	*	*	*	*
Ashe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Avery	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Beaufort	26,262	29,094	5,448	5,588	*	*	21,278	29,397
Bertie	5,432	5,656	7,900	11,122	3,839	6,343	9,350	14,042
Bladen	10,648	12,034	*	*	*	*	3,892	5,199
Brunswick	3,623	4,357	*	*	*	*	*	2,312
Buncombe	51	86	*	*	*	*	*	*
Burke	497	581	*	*	*	*	250	*
Cabarrus	2,188	2,457	*	*	*	*	1,920	*
Caldwell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Camden	12,114	14,682	*	*	*	*	10,950	11,316
Carteret	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Caswell	482	*	*	*	*	*	642	1,088
Catawba	1,323	2,054	*	*	*	*	2,396	3,148
Chatham	*	1,075	*	*	*	*	*	998
Cherokee	528	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Chowan	2,392	2,814	2,906	5,588	2,367	3,977	5,908	5,901
Clay	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cleveland	1,381	1,946	*	*	*	*	3,806	5,901
Columbus	17,323	19,446	*	*	*	*	12,749	15,589
Craven	10,752	11,350	*	*	*	*	7,136	8,186
Cumberland	4,556	5,270	*	2,289	*	*	4,982	5,649
Currituck	6,840	6,905	*	*	*	*	*	6,144
Dare	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Davidson	1,948	2,668	*	*	*	*	2,777	3,553
Davie	3,005	2,934	*	*	*	*	2,361	3,445
Duplin	23,688	21,990	*	2,957	*	*	16,849	16,974
Durham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Edgecombe	10,251	7,291	3,269	8,843	2,498	5,018	14,453	17,244
Forsyth	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Franklin	461	*	*	*	*	*	3,347	5,163
Gaston	*	*	*	*	*	*	1,271	1,349
Gates	3,083	2,822	6,356	4,774	1,768	2,867	7,439	9,679
Graham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Granville	739	560	*	*	*	*	1,081	1,025
Greene	7,076	*	*	3,282	*	2,610	11,962	11,415
Guilford	1,887	1,473	*	*	*	*	2,690	3,607
Halifax	4,032	3,299	21,930	22,270	3,419	5,755	11,616	13,349
Harnett	*	2,610	2,860	2,194	*	*	7,724	8,240
Haywood	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Henderson	1,273	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hertford	*	5,411	4,813	7,107	2,625	3,950	*	*
Hoke	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hyde	18,789	23,500	3,460	6,022	*	*	13,580	16,623
Iredell	4,726	*	*	*	*	*	5,492	*
Jackson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*

CASH RECEIPTS FROM FARM MARKETINGS AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS ^{1 2}

Counties	Corn		Cotton		Peanuts		Soybean	
	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017
<i>Thousand Dollars</i>								
Johnston	*	4,673	2,270	2,414	724	1,152	13,623	16,749
Jones	8,816	9,549	3,678	6,592	*	*	*	*
Lee	*	*	*	*	*	*	1,081	*
Lenoir	12,531	12,914	1,589	3,798	*	*	12,568	13,457
Lincoln	*	620	*	*	*	*	1,972	2,285
McDowell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Macon	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Madison	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Martin	3,619	3,071	8,627	15,516	4,527	6,885	7,240	8,204
Mecklenburg	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Mitchell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Montgomery	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Moore	523	*	*	*	*	*	*	1,034
Nash	1,948	*	*	*	*	*	7,093	9,886
New Hanover	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Northampton	6,481	5,644	18,752	23,356	2,861	3,750	10,985	12,404
Onslow	5,498	6,229	*	*	*	*	*	*
Orange	1,420	1,286	*	*	*	*	1,081	1,295
Pamlico	7,620	10,790	*	*	*	*	6,747	7,592
Pasquotank	*	12,196	*	*	*	*	*	22,794
Pender	7,855	*	*	*	*	*	5,268	*
Perquimans	9,182	*	4,268	5,371	*	*	14,929	17,991
Person	1,431	1,021	*	*	*	*	3,200	3,472
Pitt	13,580	13,234	1,589	4,937	3,612	5,518	16,348	21,157
Polk	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Randolph	2,623	1,926	*	*	*	*	2,508	2,968
Richmond	*	*	*	*	*	*	709	*
Robeson	34,491	33,033	4,359	7,080	*	*	22,065	27,903
Rockingham	764	591	*	*	*	*	1,375	1,916
Rowan	3,445	4,955	*	*	*	*	5,795	6,288
Rutherford	151	*	*	*	*	*	419	*
Sampson	19,441	17,089	5,585	6,402	*	*	20,067	24,026
Scotland	4,190	*	*	*	*	*	2,993	3,544
Stanly	5,891	6,158	9,989	*	*	*	6,375	6,189
Stokes	599	548	*	*	*	*	684	765
Surry	6,505	5,943	*	*	*	*	3,598	4,435
Swain	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transylvania	*	838	*	*	*	*	*	*
Tyrrell	13,819	15,894	*	*	*	*	8,425	13,763
Union	13,410	17,018	*	*	*	*	23,163	25,160
Vance	*	*	*	*	*	*	1,574	1,655
Wake	208	103	*	*	*	*	2,655	2,878
Warren	*	*	*	*	*	*	1,730	2,168
Washington	16,975	21,828	4,041	5,805	653	868	14,704	16,362
Watauga	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wayne	11,917	12,462	1,090	*	1,569	2,270	15,690	21,787
Wilkes	2,496	3,291	*	*	*	*	*	600
Wilson	7,245	5,478	1,907	3,879	1,290	*	10,466	13,232
Yadkin	5,378	5,851	*	*	*	*	5,181	6,351
Yancey	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Published Counties	419,596	434,352	126,685	167,186	31,752	50,963	441,452	549,365
Other Counties	48,228	60,638	29,049	33,818	20,080	28,526	61,086	58,715
State Total	467,824	494,990	155,734	201,004	51,832	79,489	502,538	608,080

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CASH RECEIPTS FROM FARM MARKETINGS AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS ^{1 2}

Counties	Tobacco		Wheat		Vegetables, Fruits, Nuts & Berries		All Other Crops ³	
	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017
<i>Thousand Dollars</i>								
Alamance	3,728	4,072	440	211	826	947	6,300	6,298
Alexander	*	*	*	*	2,209	2,532	2,971	2,970
Alleghany	*	*	*	*	1,558	1,786	17,421	17,416
Anson	*	*	*	*	287	329	4,573	4,572
Ashe	*	*	*	*	928	1,064	42,445	42,433
Avery	*	*	*	*	505	579	17,675	17,670
Beaufort	7,194	*	704	2,720	776	889	1,648	1,648
Bertie	16,120	*	2,009	2,007	1,893	2,170	72	72
Bladen	*	*	464	*	34,240	39,250	4,654	4,652
Brunswick	*	*	*	*	12,969	14,866	2,759	2,758
Buncombe	*	*	*	*	8,761	10,043	33,855	33,846
Burke	*	*	*	*	1,009	1,157	9,585	9,583
Cabarrus	*	*	670	704	605	693	5,940	5,939
Caldwell	*	*	*	*	373	427	8,410	8,408
Camden	*	*	1,701	*	10,626	12,181	49	49
Carteret	*	*	*	*	1,381	1,583	1,303	1,303
Caswell	11,401	10,816	306	166	1,223	1,402	2,176	2,176
Catawba	*	*	1,080	1,008	3,265	3,742	8,478	8,476
Chatham	*	*	128	211	1,335	1,531	4,268	4,267
Cherokee	*	*	*	*	4,073	4,669	4,393	4,392
Chowan	*	*	801	914	5,419	6,212	9,545	9,542
Clay	*	*	*	*	1,456	1,669	282	282
Cleveland	*	*	1,681	2,105	3,017	3,458	2,855	2,855
Columbus	*	*	*	*	10,611	12,164	3,047	3,046
Craven	5,179	*	171	*	528	605	2,673	2,672
Cumberland	*	13,343	*	*	6,326	7,252	4,470	4,469
Currituck	*	*	826	939	467	535	172	172
Dare	*	*	*	*	*	*	148	148
Davidson	*	1,462	374	316	2,042	2,341	7,697	7,695
Davie	*	*	586	632	603	692	1,419	1,419
Duplin	9,672	8,717	919	2,195	26,780	30,699	13,148	13,144
Durham	*	*	*	*	436	500	5,339	5,338
Edgecombe	32,594	30,920	753	2,024	9,475	10,861	11,907	11,904
Forsyth	*	*	166	*	1,188	1,362	3,356	3,355
Franklin	16,120	20,397	850	991	1,946	2,231	19,590	19,584
Gaston	*	*	*	343	571	654	2,201	2,200
Gates	*	*	1,134	*	120	137	45	45
Graham	*	*	*	*	203	233	414	414
Granville	14,690	13,936	630	717	2,259	2,590	1,645	1,644
Greene	27,103	32,535	523	1,055	28,521	32,694	901	901
Guilford	12,207	11,580	865	598	1,756	2,013	13,421	13,418
Halifax	*	15,178	1,095	666	4,415	5,061	1,714	1,713
Harnett	*	30,012	*	1,417	6,477	7,424	9,801	9,799
Haywood	*	*	*	*	3,729	4,275	2,576	2,575
Henderson	*	*	*	*	24,601	28,201	34,685	34,675
Hertford	*	*	*	*	2,562	2,937	388	388
Hoke	*	*	332	*	47	53	692	692
Hyde	*	*	591	1,405	12,103	13,874	350	350
Iredell	*	*	*	1,558	1,141	1,307	8,624	8,621
Jackson	*	*	*	*	2,223	2,549	6,398	6,396

CASH RECEIPTS FROM FARM MARKETINGS AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS ^{1 2}

Counties	Tobacco		Wheat		Vegetables, Fruits, Nuts & Berries		All Other Crops ³	
	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017
<i>Thousand Dollars</i>								
Johnston	45,701	41,577	1,051	1,072	52,260	59,907	12,772	12,768
Jones	*	8,602	*	858	254	291	425	425
Lee	11,222	10,646	118	*	702	805	1,726	1,726
Lenoir	25,269	24,354	694	1,153	5,656	6,484	5,248	5,246
Lincoln	*	*	*	534	1,243	1,425	2,248	2,247
McDowell	*	*	*	*	358	411	17,979	17,974
Macon	*	*	*	*	786	902	1,134	1,134
Madison	*	*	*	*	1,453	1,666	2,378	2,377
Martin	20,594	22,461	601	606	1,914	2,194	756	755
Mecklenburg	*	*	*	107	396	454	169,421	169,374
Mitchell	*	*	*	*	466	534	1,529	1,529
Montgomery	*	*	*	*	1,532	1,756	4,384	4,383
Moore	*	*	347	320	1,282	1,469	6,428	6,426
Nash	39,394	39,513	718	611	41,613	47,702	5,238	5,237
New Hanover	*	*	*	*	126	144	5,131	5,130
Northampton	*	*	*	1,985	384	440	711	711
Onslow	*	*	105	*	1,330	1,525	5,587	5,585
Orange	3,526	3,039	266	192	2,100	2,407	9,111	9,108
Pamlico	*	*	*	*	3,889	4,459	604	604
Pasquotank	*	*	1,886	1,896	23,112	26,494	215	215
Pender	*	*	*	*	10,109	11,588	11,421	11,418
Perquimans	*	*	3,289	4,329	1,212	1,389	845	845
Person	26,111	24,770	*	1,353	626	718	1,359	1,359
Pitt	22,972	21,792	446	854	2,327	2,668	5,672	5,670
Polk	*	*	*	*	744	852	4,740	4,739
Randolph	2,962	*	621	794	2,407	2,759	5,797	5,795
Richmond	*	*	*	*	1,810	2,075	1,299	1,298
Robeson	8,060	*	4,105	4,018	4,957	5,682	2,244	2,243
Rockingham	16,205	15,373	684	632	1,381	1,583	3,593	3,592
Rowan	*	*	2,771	1,908	7,703	8,831	16,002	15,998
Rutherford	*	*	147	*	902	1,034	1,153	1,153
Sampson	48,361	48,612	914	2,724	97,391	111,641	14,696	14,692
Scotland	*	*	*	679	346	397	900	899
Stanly	*	*	*	2,267	537	615	2,193	2,192
Stokes	8,286	7,860	*	111	1,490	1,708	3,185	3,184
Surry	13,527	12,833	831	*	3,785	4,339	8,945	8,942
Swain	*	*	*	*	118	136	166	166
Transylvania	*	*	*	*	991	1,136	16,139	16,134
Tyrrell	*	*	1,251	2,553	12,156	13,935	40	39
Union	*	*	8,870	11,357	5,041	5,779	22,889	22,883
Vance	8,846	8,373	473	399	450	516	1,090	1,090
Wake	16,100	14,700	320	521	5,153	5,907	23,743	23,737
Warren	7,800	7,400	425	538	306	351	1,629	1,628
Washington	1,269	1,090	611	1,614	7,579	8,688	2,284	2,284
Watauga	*	*	*	*	523	599	5,904	5,903
Wayne	36,170	33,090	*	3,394	20,678	23,703	10,001	9,998
Wilkes	*	*	*	*	1,825	2,092	3,696	3,695
Wilson	35,425	44,254	*	589	43,783	50,189	28,501	28,493
Yadkin	*	*	1,056	*	616	706	3,025	3,025
Yancey	*	*	*	*	582	667	3,645	3,644
Published Counties	553,810	583,307	52,398	74,868	628,253	720,177	808,302	808,077
Other Counties	114,786	104,945	18,732	13,191	*	*	*	*
State Total	668,596	688,252	71,130	88,059	628,253	720,177	808,302	808,077

¹ Cash receipts from farm marketings represent gross returns from the actual sales of crops and livestock products during the calendar year. ² Totals may not equal sum of counties due to rounding. ³ All Other Crops includes hay, greenhouse, floriculture, nursery, cut Christmas trees, mushrooms and all other miscellaneous crops. *Cash receipts are not published for some counties to avoid disclosure of individual farming operations. USDA NASS County Estimating Program Policies and Standards apply.

VALUE ADDED TO THE NORTH CAROLINA ECONOMY BY THE AGRICULTURAL SECTOR

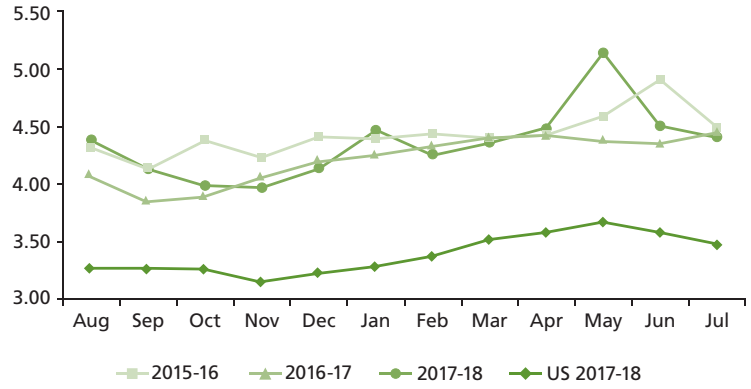
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>				
Value of crop production	4,194,587	4,152,570	3,346,973	3,305,892	3,729,045
Crop cash receipts	4,366,506	4,145,403	3,703,728	3,354,208	3,688,127
Cotton	417,685	411,957	222,673	155,734	201,004
Feed crops	634,040	575,676	451,545	533,403	558,992
Food grains	330,183	226,418	154,932	76,288	94,559
Fruits and nuts	124,020	139,732	135,180	127,343	110,775
Oil crops	950,991	705,589	703,584	554,370	687,569
Tobacco	760,644	850,574	790,272	668,596	688,252
Vegetables and melons	455,549	513,372	507,677	500,910	609,402
All other crops	693,393	722,086	737,864	737,564	737,574
Home consumption	1,175	1,084	879	1,376	1,906
Inventory adjustment	-173,094	6,083	-357,634	-49,692	39,012
Value of animals and products production	8,271,873	8,835,647	7,967,571	7,279,224	7,703,598
Animals and products cash receipts	8,305,629	8,802,012	7,944,019	7,211,746	7,744,849
Dairy products, Milk	198,806	245,435	182,094	164,160	177,848
Meat animals	3,177,702	3,312,491	2,672,907	2,352,759	2,638,717
Miscellaneous livestock	148,456	147,899	148,463	152,738	151,908
Poultry and eggs	4,780,665	5,096,187	4,940,555	4,542,089	4,776,377
Home consumption	4,203	3,832	4,502	2,551	2,213
Inventory adjustment	-37,959	29,804	19,050	64,927	-43,464
Farm-related income	1,526,952	1,581,163	1,426,950	1,818,722	1,978,014
Forest products sold	20,244	17,107	14,850	47,874	62,158
Gross imputed rental value of farm dwellings	394,143	352,878	297,909	295,015	375,610
Machine hire and customwork	59,241	31,482	22,211	34,136	43,282
Other farm income	1,053,324	1,179,696	1,091,980	1,441,697	1,496,964
Total commodity insurance indemnities	141,428	120,210	145,202	386,925	234,162
Federal commodity insurance indemnities	136,756	116,733	139,643	309,972	204,618
Net cash rent received by operator landlords ²	12,772	12,107	15,602	13,620	15,088
Value of agricultural sector production	13,993,412	14,569,381	12,741,494	12,403,838	13,410,657
Intermediate product expenses ¹	8,854,147	8,758,302	7,780,662	7,823,326	8,089,548
Farm origin	5,457,160	5,108,137	4,476,707	4,427,106	4,659,232
Feed purchases	4,410,000	4,050,000	3,470,000	3,440,000	3,520,000
Livestock and poultry purchases	677,160	678,137	626,707	617,106	699,232
Seed purchases	370,000	380,000	380,000	370,000	440,000
Manufactured inputs	1,448,211	1,426,201	1,296,238	1,147,456	1,238,838
Electricity	151,027	144,744	147,653	128,152	141,273
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners	530,000	520,000	470,000	420,000	440,000
Pesticides	310,000	330,000	320,000	300,000	310,000
Petroleum fuel and oils	457,184	431,457	358,585	299,304	347,565
Other intermediate expenses ¹	1,948,776	2,223,964	2,007,717	2,248,764	2,191,478
Machine hire and custom work	37,320	34,308	55,297	44,219	28,843
Marketing, storage, and transportation	216,740	305,794	204,566	246,619	250,863
Repair and maintenance ¹	349,691	379,722	306,659	337,768	340,806
Miscellaneous expenses ¹	1,345,025	1,504,140	1,441,195	1,620,158	1,570,966
Total insurance premiums ⁴	179,272	198,225	167,840	181,546	188,495
Federal commodity insurance premiums	67,076	65,455	57,973	62,534	68,347
Irrigation	619	897	881	576	568
Contract labor	178,212	122,469	152,646	82,533	103,468
Net government transactions	192,730	64,788	-139,736	-48,192	-95,860
Direct government payments	411,331	346,093	91,137	181,008	156,298
Property taxes and fees ¹	218,601	281,306	230,874	229,201	252,158
Motor vehicle registration and licensing fees	18,601	21,306	20,874	19,201	22,158
Gross value added	5,153,783	5,753,397	4,668,449	4,449,786	5,121,781
Capital consumption ¹	674,040	881,535	745,770	808,860	686,631
Net value added	4,479,743	4,871,862	3,922,679	3,640,927	4,435,150
Factor payments to stakeholders ³	1,051,905	1,017,781	1,014,667	1,182,156	1,248,709
Hired labor and non-cash employee compensation	651,788	617,531	597,354	757,467	786,532
Net rent paid to operator landlords	17,254	15,606	16,378	15,285	16,925
Net rent paid to nonoperator landlords	134,172	121,676	127,695	119,169	131,954
Total interest expenses ¹	248,691	262,968	273,240	290,235	313,298
Net farm income	3,427,837	3,854,081	2,908,012	2,458,770	3,186,441

SOURCE: Economic Research Service, USDA. Data as of August 30, 2017. Values are rounded to the nearest thousand. ¹ Including expenses associated with operator dwellings.

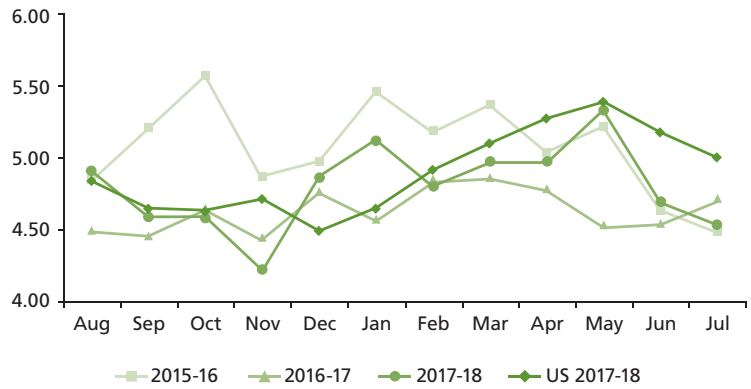
² Share rent income is included in cash receipts. ³ Prior to 2008, factor payments to stakeholders only includes net rent paid to nonoperator landlords.

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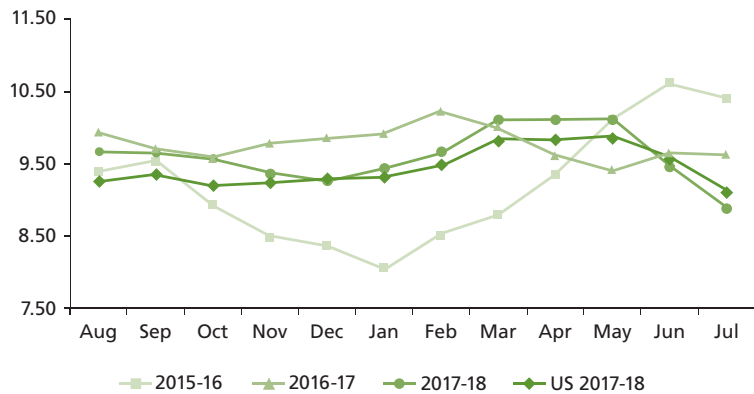
MONTHLY PRICE RECEIVED FOR CORN (Dollars per Bushel)



MONTHLY PRICE RECEIVED FOR WINTER WHEAT (Dollars per Bushel)



MONTHLY PRICE RECEIVED FOR SOYBEANS (Dollars per Bushel)



PRICES RECEIVED

Marketing Year Average Prices for Specified Crops

Year	Flue-Cured Tobacco per Lb.	Burley Tobacco per Lb.	Cotton per Lb. ¹	Soybeans per Bu.	Corn per Bu.	Peanuts per Lb.	Winter Wheat per Bu.	All Hay per Ton	Sweet Potatoes per Cwt.	Potatoes per Cwt.	Apples per Lb. ²
<i>Dollars</i>											
2013	2.11	2.04	0.82	13.10	4.96	0.28	6.28	110.00	24.90	(D)	0.22
2014	2.01	1.85	0.67	10.20	4.19	0.26	5.16	114.00	22.00	(D)	0.25
2015	1.85	1.95	0.62	8.68	4.32	0.22	4.90	126.00	19.40	(D)	0.21
2016	1.94	1.89	0.66	9.80	4.07	0.21	4.61	116.00	18.10	10.90	0.24
2017	2.00	1.94	0.68	9.45	4.20	0.24	4.65	115.00	15.30	11.40	0.25

¹ Based on Marketings and monthly prices received from August 1–December 31. ² Utilized Production. (D) Not published to avoid disclosure of individual farming operations.



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& POULTRY

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LIVESTOCK, DAIRY AND POULTRY

Record Highs and Lows

Species	Date Series Began	Record High		Record Low	
		Year	Number	Year	Number
			<i>Thousands</i>		<i>Thousands</i>
Cattle and Calves - Inventory, Jan 1	1867	1985	1,175	1927	490
Beef cows - Inventory, Jan 1	1920	1996	476	1930	18
Milk Cows - Inventory, Jan 1	1867	1945	400	2010	43
Milk Production (Lbs)	1924	1985	1,748,000	2010	866,000
Sheep and Lambs - Inventory, Jan 1	1920	1921	95	1979	7
Hogs - Inventory, Dec 1	1866	2007	10,200	1929	830
Chickens - Inventory, Dec 1	1924	2017	23,371	1931	8,670
Egg Production	1924	2017	3,935,300	1930	542,000
Commercial Broilers	1934	2017	830,800	1934	900
Turkeys - Total Raised	1929	1992	62,000	1931	198

NOTE: In some cases, the production or inventory is identical for more than one year. In such cases, the year shown is the latest year or occurrence.



LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY INVENTORY

Species and Classification	North Carolina		United States	
	Number on Farms January 1		Number on Farms January 1	
	2017	2018	2017	2018
	<i>Thousand Head</i>		<i>Thousand Head</i>	
Cattle - Total ¹	830	810	93,705	94,399
Cows & Heifers that have calved	415	415	40,559	41,123
Beef Cows	370	370	31,213	31,723
Milk Cows	45	45	9,346	9,400
Heifers 500 pounds and over	116	108	20,132	20,245
For Beef Cow replacement	69	66	6,368	6,131
For Milk Cow replacement	22	19	4,754	4,781
Other Heifers	25	23	9,010	9,332
Steers 500 pounds and over	43	37	16,384	16,352
Bulls 500 pounds and over	31	30	2,244	2,252
Calves under 500 pounds	225	220	14,386	14,427
Sheep - Total	30	25	5,250	5,230
Breeding Sheep & Lambs	25	19	3,875	3,830
Replacement Lambs	4	3	660	655
Ewes 1 year plus	19	14	3,045	3,008
Rams 1 year plus	2	2	170	170
Market Sheep & Lambs	5	6	1,375	1,400
Goats - Total ²	-	-	2,640	2,620
Angora Goats ²	-	-	152	142
Milk Goats	6	7	373	380
Meat and Other Goats	50	47	2,115	2,098
	Number on Farms December 1		Number on Farms December 1	
	2016	2017	2016	2017
	<i>Thousand Head</i>		<i>Thousand Head</i>	
All Hogs and Pigs	9,300	9,000	71,545	73,415
Breeding Hogs	880	900	6,110	6,179
Market Hogs	8,420	8,100	65,435	67,236
Under 50 Pounds	3,160	3,190	20,887	21,447
50-119 Pounds	1,950	1,790	18,102	18,549
120-179 Pounds	1,680	1,570	13,786	14,030
180 Pounds and above	1,630	1,550	12,660	13,209
Chickens - Total ³	23,343	23,371	496,119	504,536
Layers	15,227	15,162	377,299	382,266

¹ Totals may not add due to rounding. ² North Carolina not published to avoid disclosure of individual operations. ³ Does not include commercial broilers.

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY INVENTORY VALUES

Year	All Cattle and Calves January 1		All Hogs and Pigs December 1		All Chickens December 1		All Sheep and Lambs January 1	
	Farm Value per Head	Total Value	Farm Value per Head	Total Value	Farm Value per Head	Total Value	Farm Value per Head	Total Value
	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>
2014	950	769,500	120	1,056,000	8.10	176,693	191	5,157
2015	1,240	992,000	77	685,300	7.90	181,266	203	6,090
2016	1,170	936,000	79	734,700	7.90	184,410	187	5,984
2017	900	747,000	86	774,000	7.80	182,294	188	5,640
2018	900	729,000	-	-	-	-	193	13,510

MEAT ANIMALS

Numbers, Production, Disposition, Price and Income

Species	2014	2015	2016	2017
Hogs and Pigs	<i>Thousands</i>			
Number:				
Beginning Inventory: (Dec 1 preceding year)	8,500	8,800	8,900	9,300
Pig Crop: (December-November)	16,547	17,494	19,108	18,871
Inshipments	578	743	657	606
Marketings ¹	15,243	16,211	17,454	17,731
Farm Slaughter ²	2	1	1	1
Deaths	1,580	1,925	1,910	2,045
Production (Lbs) ³	3,538,079	3,925,202	4,133,672	4,249,667
Marketings (Lbs) ⁴	3,597,742	3,976,238	4,135,477	4,341,770
Value of Production (\$)	2,821,777	2,209,833	2,067,317	2,270,058
Cash Receipts from Sales (\$) ⁵	2,887,869	2,263,161	2,097,464	2,344,429
Value of Home Consumption (\$)	729	515	622	668
Gross Income (\$)	2,888,598	2,263,676	2,098,086	2,345,097
Ending Inventory December 1	8,800	8,900	9,300	9,000
Cattle and Calves				
Number:				
On hand January 1 (Total)	810	800	800	830
Calves Born	365	360	370	365
Inshipments	6	6	7	7
Marketings: ¹				
Cattle	213	207	191	223
Calves	140	131	126	143
Farm Slaughter ²	1	2	2	1
Deaths:				
Cattle	11	11	10	10
Calves	17	16	19	16
Production: ³				
Total Cattle and Calves (Lbs)	292,733	283,776	293,693	296,717
Marketings (Lbs) ⁴	297,070	290,150	270,570	313,350
Value of Production (\$)	412,922	404,242	272,237	277,545
Cash Receipts from Sales (\$) ⁵	424,622	409,746	255,295	294,288
Value of Home Consumption (\$)	5,137	4,942	4,290	3,424
Gross Income (\$)	429,759	414,688	259,585	297,712
Ending Inventory (Total)	800	800	830	810
(January 1 succeeding year)				

¹ Includes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced and State outshipments, but excludes interfarm sales within the State. ² Excludes custom slaughter for farmers at commercial establishments. ³ Adjustments made for changes in inventory and inshipments. ⁴ Excludes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced and interfarm sales within the State. ⁵ Receipts from marketings and sale of farm slaughter. Also includes allowance for higher average price of State inshipments and outshipments of feeder pigs.

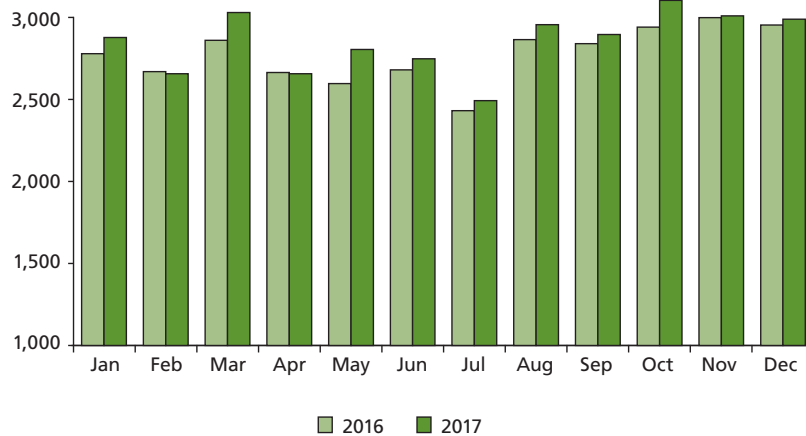
NORTH CAROLINA COMMERCIAL LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER, 2017 ¹

Month	Cattle All Species		Calves		Hogs		Sheep & Lambs	
	Number Slaughtered	Total Live Weight	Number Slaughtered	Total Live Weight	Number Slaughtered	Total Live Weight	Number Slaughtered	Total Live Weight
	<i>Thousand Head</i>	<i>Thousand Pounds</i>	<i>Thousand Head</i>	<i>Thousand Pounds</i>	<i>Thousand Head</i>	<i>Thousand Pounds</i>	<i>Thousand Head</i>	<i>Thousand Pounds</i>
January	5.5	6,779	0.1	33	(D)	(D)	1.1	80
February	5.1	6,275	0.1	36	(D)	(D)	0.9	64
March	6.1	7,499	0.1	26	(D)	(D)	0.9	67
April	5.3	6,460	0.1	38	(D)	(D)	1.1	77
May	6.0	7,384	0.1	53	(D)	(D)	1.6	105
June	6.1	7,455	0.1	38	(D)	(D)	1.4	96
July	5.0	6,114	0.1	45	(D)	(D)	1.0	71
August	6.2	7,636	0.1	52	(D)	(D)	1.4	97
September	5.6	6,898	0.1	25	(D)	(D)	1.7	125
October	5.9	7,323	0.1	27	(D)	(D)	1.2	82
November	5.7	6,942	0.1	40	(D)	(D)	1.2	85
December	5.0	6,079	0.1	22	(D)	(D)	1.1	76
Annual Total ²	67.5	82,842	1.0	435	(D)	(D)	14.6	1,026

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. ¹ Includes slaughter under federal inspection and other commercial slaughter, excludes farm slaughter. ² Months may not add to totals due to rounding.

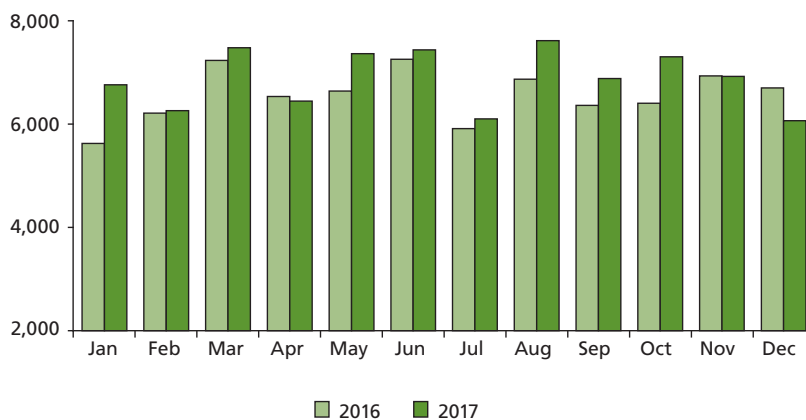
UNITED STATES COMMERCIAL HOG SLAUGHTER

Total Live Weight (Million Pounds)



NORTH CAROLINA COMMERCIAL CATTLE SLAUGHTER

Total Live Weight (Thousand Pounds)



COMMERCIAL BROILERS

Production and Value

Year	Number Produced	Pounds Produced	Value of Production
	<i>Thousands</i>	<i>Thousands</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>
2013	786,600	5,899,500	3,580,997
2014	795,200	6,043,500	3,849,710
2015	822,700	6,417,100	3,452,400
2016	818,700	6,467,700	3,091,561
2017	830,800	6,563,300	3,570,435
US 2017 ¹	8,913,000	55,569,300	30,229,700

¹ Excludes states producing less than 500,000 broilers.

TURKEYS

Production and Value

Year	Number Raised	Pounds Produced	Value of Production
	<i>Thousands</i>	<i>Thousands</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>
2013	33,500	1,139,000	757,435
2014	28,500	997,500	733,163
2015	31,000	1,091,200	884,963
2016	33,500	1,202,650	993,389
2017	32,500	1,144,000	739,024
US 2017	242,500	7,494,651	4,841,545

EGGS

Production and Value

Year	Average Number Layers During Year	Average Eggs Laid Annually per Layer	Eggs Produced	Value of Production
	<i>Thousands</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Millions</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>
2013	12,990	245	3,184	431,359
2014	13,457	251	3,381	501,063
2015	14,459	253	3,659	588,368
2016	14,501	257	3,731	444,441
2017	15,223	259	3,935	460,106
US 2017	375,845	281	105,689	7,551,021

CHICKENS

Lost, Sold and Value of Sales ¹

Year	Number Lost ²	Number Sold	Pounds Sold	Value of Sales
	<i>Thousands</i>	<i>Thousands</i>	<i>Thousands</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>
2013	3,319	11,021	76,045	10,874
2014	2,900	12,524	83,911	12,251
2015	3,400	13,841	96,887	14,824
2016	3,946	15,107	104,084	12,698
2017	4,040	14,958	103,207	6,812
US 2017	126,311	187,659	991,979	46,674

¹ Excludes commercial broilers. ² Includes rendered, died, destroyed, composted, or disappeared for any reason except sold during the 12-month period.

HONEY

Production, Stocks and Value

Year	Honey Producing Colonies ¹	Yield per Colony	Production	Stocks December 15 ²	Average Price per Pound ³	Value of Production ⁴
	<i>Thousands</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Thousand Pounds</i>	<i>Thousand Pounds</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>
2013	10	38	380	84	3.67	1,395
2014	12	43	516	88	3.49	1,801
2015	12	45	540	103	4.51	2,435
2016	12	37	444	89	4.78	2,122
2017	11	41	451	99	4.34	1,957
US 2017 ⁵	2,669	55.3	147,638	30,577	215.60	318,308

¹ Honey producing colonies are the maximum number of colonies from which honey was taken during the year. It is possible to take honey from colonies which did not survive the entire year. ² Stocks held by producers. ³ Average price per pound based on expanded sales. ⁴ Value of production is equal to production multiplied by average price per pound. ⁵ Due to rounding, total colonies multiplied by total yield may not exactly equal production.

CATFISH OPERATIONS

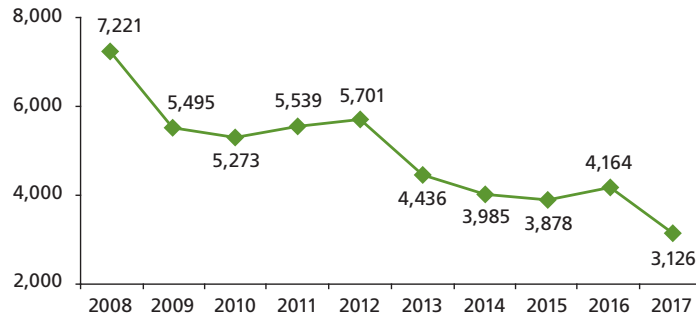
State	Water Surface Acres During Jan 1–Jun 30		Total Sales All Sizes	
	2017	2018	2016	2017
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Thousand Dollars</i>	
Alabama	15,000	14,800	119,989	114,596
Arkansas	5,000	4,800	19,086	20,607
California	1,300	1,300	5,230	5,051
Mississippi	34,400	36,100	213,372	214,596
North Carolina	1,200	1,100	4,164	3,126
Texas	1,900	1,700	17,722	15,636
Other States ¹	1,990	2,060	6,422	6,101
United States	60,790	61,860	385,985	379,713

¹ Other States include state estimates not shown and states suppressed due to disclosure.

CATFISH Sales of Foodsize Fish

Year	Number Sold	Pounds Sold	Price per Pound	Value of Sales
	<i>Thousands</i>		<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>
2013	2,750	4,000	1.10	4,400
2014	1,990	3,400	1.17	3,978
2015	2,120	3,250	1.17	3,803
2016	1,930	3,500	1.16	4,060
2017	1,380	2,600	1.18	3,068
US 2017	199,830	330,428	1.08	355,432

CATFISH SALES (Thousand Dollars)



TROUT OPERATIONS

State	Value of Fish Sold		Value of Distributed Fish	
	2016	2017	2016	2017
	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>			
Arkansas	-	-	2,612	3,198
California	3,958	3,854	9,952	11,049
Colorado	2,196	2,066	6,339	7,164
Georgia	406	(D)	1,266	1,231
Idaho	50,298	49,968	11,111	11,496
Michigan	1,402	1,492	5,106	4,667
Missouri	2,686	2,819	2,614	3,173
New York	617	569	3,361	3,310
North Carolina	8,563	9,111	(D)	2,243
Oregon	(D)	(D)	9,547	8,642
Pennsylvania	5,909	6,276	13,124	9,192
Utah	633	694	7,820	6,976
Virginia	1,442	1,747	1,365	1,916
Washington	(D)	(D)	18,792	19,603
West Virginia	1,231	1,066	(D)	2,580
Wisconsin	1,558	1,694	2,699	2,196
Other States ¹	24,084	28,012	33,232	34,155
United States ²	104,983	109,368	129,526	132,247
United States ³	113,904	118,212	(NA)	(NA)

- Represents zero. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. (N/A) Not available. ¹ Other States include state estimates not listed and states suppressed due to disclosure. ² Excludes value of eggs. ³ Includes value of eggs.

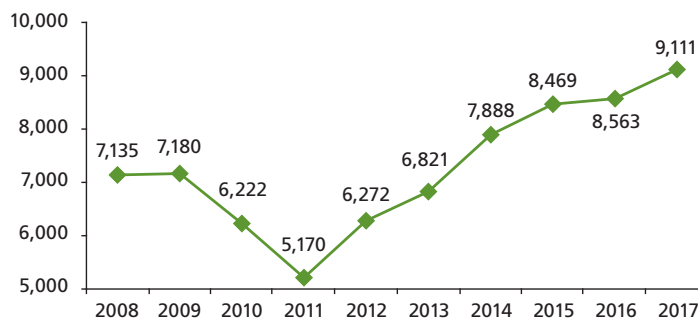
TROUT

Sales of Foodsize Fish or Larger ¹

Year	Number Sold	Pounds Sold	Price per Pound	Value of Sales
	<i>Thousands</i>		<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>
2013	3,310	3,700	1.67	6,179
2014	3,310	4,050	1.70	6,885
2015	3,220	3,700	2.11	7,807
2016	3,960	4,400	1.74	7,656
2017	3,500	4,150	1.90	7,885
US 2017	40,265	53,286	1.89	100,647

¹ Twelve inches or longer.

TROUT SALES (Thousand Dollars)



HOGS AND PIGS

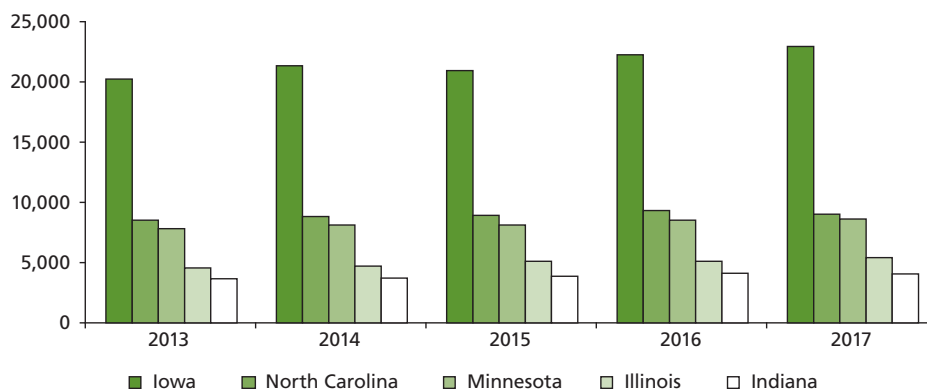
Number on Farms, December 1

Year	Total	By Class		Market Hogs and Pigs, By Weight Group ¹					
		Breeding Hogs	Market Hogs and Pigs	Under 60 Pounds	60-119 Pounds	Under 50 Pounds	50-119 Pounds	120-179 Pounds	180 Pounds and Over
<i>Thousands</i>									
1998	9,700	1,000	8,700	3,400	2,000	-	-	1,850	1,450
1999	9,500	1,000	8,500	3,350	1,950	-	-	1,750	1,450
2000	9,300	1,000	8,300	3,400	1,800	-	-	1,650	1,450
2001	9,800	1,000	8,800	3,500	2,020	-	-	1,730	1,550
2002	9,700	1,000	8,700	3,450	2,050	-	-	1,700	1,500
2003	10,000	1,020	8,980	3,550	2,180	-	-	1,750	1,500
2004	9,900	1,020	8,880	3,520	2,150	-	-	1,700	1,510
2005	9,800	1,010	8,790	3,450	2,130	-	-	1,720	1,490
2006	9,500	1,010	8,490	3,390	1,970	-	-	1,680	1,450
2007	10,200	1,020	9,180	3,430	2,220	-	-	1,890	1,640
2008	9,600	980	8,620	-	-	3,020	2,290	1,700	1,610
2009	9,600	930	8,670	-	-	3,090	2,200	1,760	1,620
2010	8,900	840	8,060	-	-	2,950	1,970	1,640	1,500
2011	8,900	850	8,050	-	-	3,050	1,870	1,560	1,570
2012	8,900	860	8,040	-	-	3,020	1,960	1,615	1,445
2013	8,500	870	7,630	-	-	2,600	1,800	1,630	1,600
2014	8,800	880	7,920	-	-	3,010	1,830	1,580	1,500
2015	8,900	870	8,030	-	-	3,050	1,880	1,590	1,510
2016	9,300	880	8,420	-	-	3,160	1,950	1,680	1,630
2017	9,000	900	8,100	-	-	3,190	1,790	1,570	1,550

¹ Market hog weight groups have changed. The market weight group under 60 pounds has been changed to under 50 pounds. The market weight group 60-119 pounds has been changed to 50-119 pounds. Estimates have been made for these new weight groups dating back to March of 2008 at the US and state level using slaughter data and current import and export data.

HOGS AND PIGS

Leading States, December 1 (Thousand Head)



HOGS

Number on Farms, December 1

Counties	2016	2017	Counties	2016	2017
Alamance	*	*	Mitchell	*	*
Alexander	*	*	Montgomery	17,000	18,000
Alleghany	*	*	Moore	(D)	(D)
Anson	46,000	52,000	Nash	55,000	55,000
Ashe	*	*	New Hanover	*	*
Avery	*	*	Northampton	110,000	110,000
Beaufort	47,000	41,000	Onslow	210,000	190,000
Bertie	(D)	(D)	Orange	4,500	4,500
Bladen	740,000	720,000	Pamlico	*	*
Brunswick	85,000	80,000	Pasquotank	(D)	*
Buncombe	(D)	*	Pender	265,000	280,000
Burke	*	*	Perquimans	(D)	(D)
Cabarrus	(D)	(D)	Person	4,000	3,500
Caldwell	(D)	(D)	Pitt	255,000	245,000
Camden	*	*	Polk	*	*
Carteret	*	*	Randolph	25,000	23,000
Caswell	*	*	Richmond	65,000	61,000
Catawba	*	*	Robeson	340,000	350,000
Chatham	7,000	5,000	Rockingham	2,000	3,000
Cherokee	*	*	Rowan	(D)	(D)
Chowan	5,000	4,800	Rutherford	*	*
Clay	*	*	Sampson	2,010,000	1,900,000
Cleveland	200	200	Scotland	(D)	(D)
Columbus	230,000	235,000	Stanly	3,500	3,000
Craven	65,000	72,000	Stokes	(D)	*
Cumberland	95,000	100,000	Surry	(D)	(D)
Currituck	*	*	Swain	*	*
Dare	*	*	Transylvania	*	*
Davidson	*	*	Tyrrell	(D)	(D)
Davie	*	*	Union	(D)	(D)
Duplin	2,050,000	2,000,000	Vance	*	*
Durham	*	*	Wake	*	*
Edgecombe	110,000	110,000	Warren	(D)	(D)
Forsyth	*	*	Washington	(D)	(D)
Franklin	27,000	29,000	Watauga	*	*
Gaston	500	400	Wayne	560,000	515,000
Gates	24,000	23,000	Wilkes	*	*
Graham	*	*	Wilson	28,000	33,000
Granville	1,400	1,000	Yadkin	(D)	(D)
Greene	345,000	340,000	Yancey	*	*
Guilford	8,000	4,000	Other Counties	440,500	431,200
Halifax	60,000	52,000			
Harnett	100,000	70,000	State Total	9,300,000	9,000,000
Haywood	*	*			
Henderson	*	*			
Hertford	(D)	(D)			
Hoke	89,000	75,000			
Hyde	*	*			
Iredell	*	*			
Jackson	*	*			
Johnston	190,000	190,000			
Jones	290,000	295,000			
Lee	(D)	(D)			
Lenoir	290,000	275,000			
Lincoln	400	400			
McDowell	*	*			
Macon	*	*			
Madison	*	*			
Martin	(D)	(D)			
Mecklenburg	*	*			

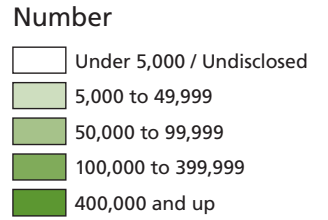
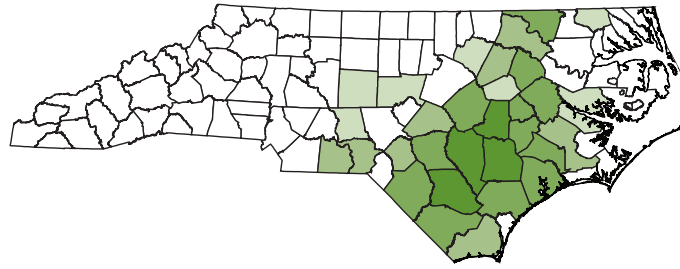
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HOGS

Number on Farms, December 1, 2017

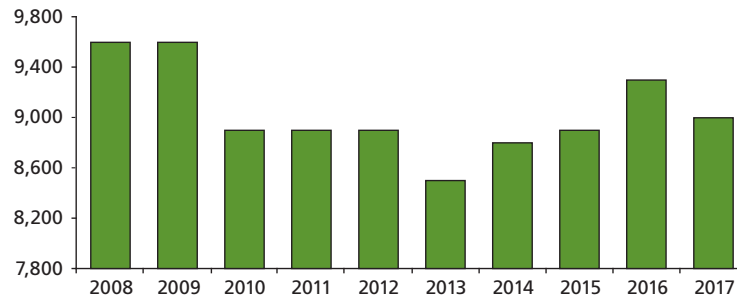
Leading Counties ¹	Number
Duplin	2,000,000
Sampson	1,900,000
Bladen	720,000
Wayne	515,000
Robeson	350,000
Greene	340,000
Jones	295,000
Pender	280,000
Lenoir	275,000
Pitt	245,000

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HOGS

Number on Farms, December 1 (Thousand Head)



ALL CATTLE

Number on Farms, January 1

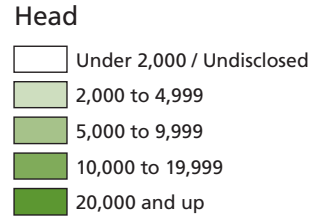
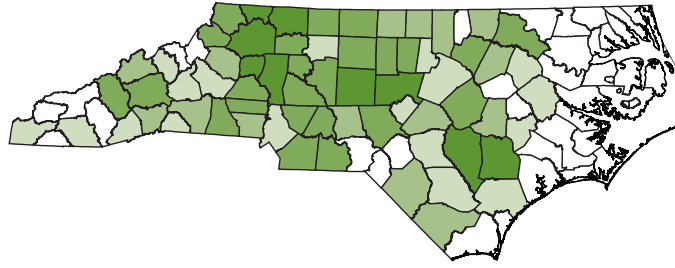
Counties	2017	2018	Counties	2017	2018
	<i>Head</i>			<i>Head</i>	
Alamance	17,500	17,000	Mitchell	1,500	1,400
Alexander	24,000	23,500	Montgomery	5,200	5,100
Alleghany	24,000	23,500	Moore	11,600	11,500
Anson	11,200	11,000	Nash	7,700	7,500
Ashe	19,500	19,500	New Hanover	*	*
Avery	1,500	1,400	Northampton	900	900
Beaufort	1,300	1,200	Onslow	1,900	1,800
Bertie	800	800	Orange	10,000	10,000
Bladen	3,100	3,000	Pamlico	100	100
Brunswick	1,900	1,800	Pasquotank	300	300
Buncombe	14,800	14,500	Pender	2,200	2,100
Burke	4,200	4,100	Perquimans	700	700
Cabarrus	12,500	12,000	Person	7,800	7,600
Caldwell	5,400	5,300	Pitt	2,800	2,700
Camden	100	100	Polk	3,300	3,200
Carteret	300	300	Randolph	45,500	44,500
Caswell	8,800	8,600	Richmond	1,900	1,800
Catawba	13,300	13,000	Robeson	8,100	8,000
Chatham	38,500	37,500	Rockingham	10,000	10,000
Cherokee	4,600	4,500	Rowan	18,500	18,500
Chowan	1,300	1,200	Rutherford	7,600	7,400
Clay	1,700	1,600	Sampson	27,500	27,000
Cleveland	20,000	19,500	Scotland	1,300	1,200
Columbus	8,800	8,600	Stanly	13,000	12,500
Craven	1,000	1,000	Stokes	13,000	12,500
Cumberland	2,900	2,800	Surry	23,000	22,500
Currituck	200	200	Swain	400	400
Dare	*	*	Transylvania	2,400	2,300
Davidson	12,500	12,000	Tyrrell	300	300
Davie	10,400	10,000	Union	20,000	19,500
Duplin	22,500	22,000	Vance	1,600	1,500
Durham	2,200	2,100	Wake	3,500	3,400
Edgecombe	2,100	2,000	Warren	7,500	7,300
Forsyth	3,800	3,700	Washington	1,400	1,300
Franklin	16,000	15,500	Watauga	14,500	14,000
Gaston	7,600	7,400	Wayne	8,600	8,500
Gates	800	800	Wilkes	39,500	38,500
Graham	900	900	Wilson	1,200	1,100
Granville	7,300	7,100	Yadkin	20,000	19,500
Greene	1,500	1,400	Yancey	3,900	3,800
Guilford	14,500	14,000	Other Counties	300	300
Halifax	10,000	10,000	State Total	830,000	810,000
Harnett	7,100	7,000			
Haywood	10,200	10,000			
Henderson	5,200	5,100			
Hertford	300	300			
Hoke	1,300	1,200			
Hyde	(D)	(D)			
Iredell	49,500	48,000			
Jackson	1,700	1,600			
Johnston	13,000	12,500			
Jones	1,100	1,100			
Lee	3,800	3,800			
Lenoir	2,300	2,200			
Lincoln	14,500	14,500			
McDowell	2,500	2,400			
Macon	2,800	2,700			
Madison	6,000	5,900			
Martin	800	800			
Mecklenburg	2,100	2,000			

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ALL CATTLE

Number on Farms, January 1, 2018

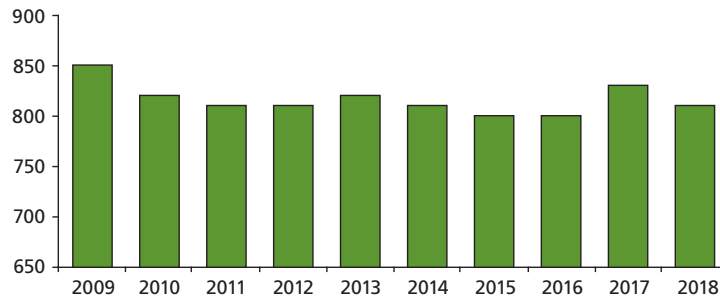
Leading Counties ¹	Number
Iredell	48,000
Randolph	44,500
Wilkes	38,500
Chatham	37,500
Sampson	27,000
Alexander ²	23,500
Alleghany ²	23,500
Surry	22,500
Duplin	22,000
Ashe ³	19,500
Cleveland ³	19,500
Union ³	19,500
Yadkin ³	19,500



¹ Ranking of published counties only.
² Ranked 6th. ³ Ranked 10th.

ALL CATTLE

Number on Farms, January 1 (*Thousand Head*)



BEEF COWS

Number on Farms, January 1

Counties	2017	2018	Counties	2017	2018
	<i>Head</i>			<i>Head</i>	
Alamance	7,100	7,100	Mitchell	900	900
Alexander	7,100	7,100	Montgomery	3,000	3,000
Alleghany	7,100	7,100	Moore	6,100	6,100
Anson	4,600	4,600	Nash	4,100	4,100
Ashe	6,300	6,300	New Hanover	*	*
Avery	700	700	Northampton	600	600
Beaufort	700	700	Onslow	1,100	1,100
Bertie	500	500	Orange	4,900	4,900
Bladen	(D)	(D)	Pamlico	*	*
Brunswick	(D)	(D)	Pasquotank	(D)	(D)
Buncombe	7,100	7,100	Pender	(D)	(D)
Burke	2,700	2,700	Perquimans	500	500
Cabarrus	6,800	6,800	Person	(D)	(D)
Caldwell	3,100	3,100	Pitt	(D)	(D)
Camden	100	100	Polk	(D)	(D)
Carteret	200	200	Randolph	16,800	17,000
Caswell	(D)	(D)	Richmond	1,200	1,200
Catawba	7,400	7,400	Robeson	(D)	(D)
Chatham	14,900	14,900	Rockingham	(D)	(D)
Cherokee	2,600	2,600	Rowan	8,200	8,200
Chowan	(D)	(D)	Rutherford	(D)	(D)
Clay	(D)	(D)	Sampson	(D)	(D)
Cleveland	10,200	10,200	Scotland	(D)	(D)
Columbus	(D)	(D)	Stanly	(D)	(D)
Craven	700	700	Stokes	5,200	5,200
Cumberland	2,000	2,000	Surry	(D)	(D)
Currituck	*	*	Swain	(D)	(D)
Dare	*	*	Transylvania	1,000	1,000
Davidson	5,500	5,500	Tyrrell	100	100
Davie	5,300	5,300	Union	12,200	12,100
Duplin	13,800	13,800	Vance	800	800
Durham	1,000	1,000	Wake	(D)	(D)
Edgecombe	1,400	1,400	Warren	(D)	(D)
Forsyth	2,400	2,400	Washington	700	700
Franklin	6,100	6,100	Watauga	4,600	4,600
Gaston	3,200	3,200	Wayne	(D)	(D)
Gates	400	400	Wilkes	14,300	14,300
Graham	(D)	(D)	Wilson	600	600
Granville	3,600	3,600	Yadkin	8,900	8,900
Greene	1,000	1,000	Yancey	2,200	2,200
Guilford	5,600	5,600	Other Counties	93,000	92,900
Halifax	(D)	(D)	State Total	370,000	370,000
Harnett	4,100	4,100			
Haywood	4,900	4,900			
Henderson	1,500	1,500			
Hertford	200	200			
Hoke	(D)	(D)			
Hyde	(D)	(D)			
Iredell	13,000	13,000			
Jackson	(D)	(D)			
Johnston	(D)	(D)			
Jones	600	600			
Lee	1,600	1,600			
Lenoir	1,500	1,500			
Lincoln	4,200	4,200			
McDowell	(D)	(D)			
Macon	1,800	1,800			
Madison	3,800	3,800			
Martin	600	600			
Mecklenburg	(D)	(D)			

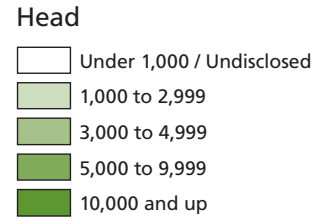
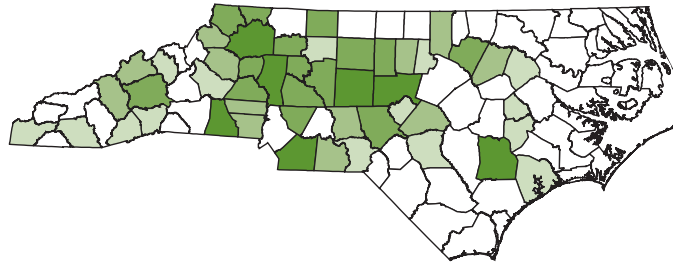
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BEEF COWS

Number on Farms, January 1, 2018

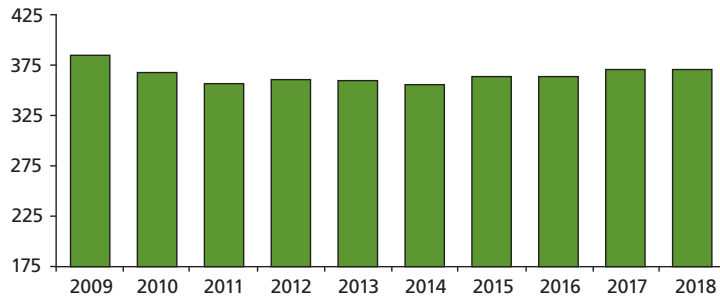
Leading Counties ¹	Number
Randolph	17,000
Chatham	14,900
Wilkes	14,300
Duplin	13,800
Iredell	13,000
Union	12,100
Cleveland	10,200
Yadkin	8,900
Rowan	8,200
Catawba	7,400

¹ Ranking of published counties only.



BEEF COWS

Number on Farms, January 1 (Thousand Head)



MILK COWS

Number on Farms, January 1

Counties	2017	2018	Counties	2017	2018
	<i>Head</i>			<i>Head</i>	
Alamance	1,200	1,100	Mitchell	*	*
Alexander	1,500	1,500	Montgomery	*	*
Alleghany	1,600	1,500	Moore	*	*
Anson	*	*	Nash	*	*
Ashe	100	100	New Hanover	*	*
Avery	*	*	Northampton	*	*
Beaufort	*	*	Onslow	*	*
Bertie	*	*	Orange	700	700
Bladen	*	*	Pamlico	*	*
Brunswick	*	*	Pasquotank	*	*
Buncombe	800	800	Pender	*	*
Burke	*	*	Perquimans	*	*
Cabarrus	1,200	1,200	Person	(D)	(D)
Caldwell	*	*	Pitt	*	*
Camden	*	*	Polk	*	*
Carteret	*	*	Randolph	4,500	4,500
Caswell	(D)	(D)	Richmond	*	*
Catawba	400	400	Robeson	*	*
Chatham	1,100	1,200	Rockingham	(D)	(D)
Cherokee	*	*	Rowan	1,400	1,400
Chowan	*	*	Rutherford	*	*
Clay	*	*	Sampson	(D)	(D)
Cleveland	600	600	Scotland	*	*
Columbus	*	*	Stanly	(D)	(D)
Craven	*	*	Stokes	*	(D)
Cumberland	*	*	Surry	(D)	(D)
Currituck	*	*	Swain	*	*
Dare	*	*	Transylvania	*	*
Davidson	1,400	1,400	Tyrrell	*	*
Davie	500	500	Union	*	*
Duplin	100	100	Vance	*	*
Durham	100	100	Wake	*	*
Edgecombe	*	*	Warren	*	*
Forsyth	*	*	Washington	*	*
Franklin	*	*	Watauga	*	*
Gaston	700	700	Wayne	(D)	(D)
Gates	*	*	Wilkes	1,200	1,100
Graham	*	*	Wilson	*	*
Granville	500	500	Yadkin	1,300	1,300
Greene	*	*	Yancey	100	100
Guilford	1,400	1,500	Other Counties	4,200	4,300
Halifax	(D)	(D)			
Harnett	*	*	State Total	45,000	45,000
Haywood	1,100	1,100			
Henderson	1,500	1,500			
Hertford	*	*			
Hoke	*	*			
Hyde	*	*			
Iredell	13,000	13,000			
Jackson	*	*			
Johnston	*	*			
Jones	*	*			
Lee	*	*			
Lenoir	*	*			
Lincoln	2,800	2,800			
McDowell	(D)	(D)			
Macon	*	*			
Madison	*	*			
Martin	*	*			
Mecklenburg	*	*			

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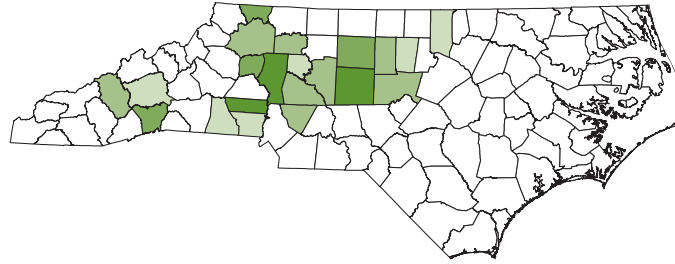
MILK COWS

Number on Farms, January 1, 2018

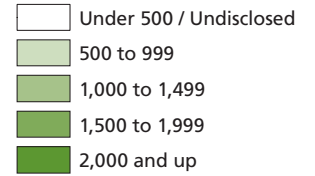
Leading Counties ¹	Number
Iredell	13,000
Randolph	4,500
Lincoln	2,800
Alexander ²	1,500
Alleghany ²	1,500
Guilford ²	1,500
Henderson ²	1,500
Davidson ³	1,400
Rowan ³	1,400
Yadkin	1,300

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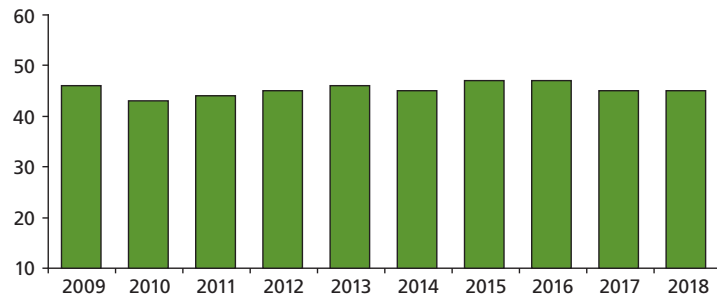


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MILK COWS

Number on Farms, January 1 (*Thousand Head*)



TURKEYS

Number Raised

Counties	2016	2017	Counties	2016	2017
	<i>Head</i>			<i>Head</i>	
Alamance	*	*	Mitchell	*	*
Alexander	*	*	Montgomery	*	*
Alleghany	*	*	Moore	*	*
Anson	1,150,000	1,100,000	Nash	*	*
Ashe	*	*	New Hanover	*	*
Avery	*	*	Northampton	*	*
Beaufort	*	*	Onslow	1,950,000	1,900,000
Bertie	*	*	Orange	*	*
Bladen	2,050,000	2,000,000	Pamlico	*	*
Brunswick	*	*	Pasquotank	*	*
Buncombe	*	*	Pender	495,000	485,000
Burke	*	*	Perquimans	*	*
Cabarrus	(D)	(D)	Person	*	*
Caldwell	*	*	Pitt	(D)	(D)
Camden	*	*	Polk	*	*
Carteret	*	*	Randolph	*	*
Caswell	*	*	Richmond	*	*
Catawba	*	*	Robeson	215,000	210,000
Chatham	*	*	Rockingham	*	*
Cherokee	*	*	Rowan	*	*
Chowan	*	*	Rutherford	*	*
Clay	*	*	Sampson	8,450,000	8,200,000
Cleveland	395,000	385,000	Scotland	*	*
Columbus	(D)	(D)	Stanly	590,000	570,000
Craven	*	*	Stokes	*	*
Cumberland	640,000	620,000	Surry	*	*
Currituck	*	*	Swain	*	*
Dare	*	*	Transylvania	*	*
Davidson	*	*	Tyrrell	*	*
Davie	*	*	Union	3,250,000	3,150,000
Duplin	5,200,000	5,000,000	Vance	*	*
Durham	*	*	Wake	(D)	(D)
Edgecombe	*	*	Warren	*	*
Forsyth	*	*	Washington	*	*
Franklin	*	*	Watauga	*	*
Gaston	*	*	Wayne	4,100,000	4,000,000
Gates	*	*	Wilkes	*	*
Graham	*	*	Wilson	*	*
Granville	*	*	Yadkin	*	*
Greene	1,850,000	1,800,000	Yancey	*	*
Guilford	*	*	Other Counties	715,000	700,000
Halifax	*	*	State Total	33,500,000	32,500,000
Harnett	(D)	(D)			
Haywood	*	*			
Henderson	*	*			
Hertford	*	*			
Hoke	210,000	205,000			
Hyde	*	*			
Iredell	*	*			
Jackson	*	*			
Johnston	360,000	350,000			
Jones	280,000	275,000			
Lee	*	*			
Lenoir	1,600,000	1,550,000			
Lincoln	*	*			
McDowell	*	*			
Macon	*	*			
Madison	*	*			
Martin	*	*			
Mecklenburg	*	*			

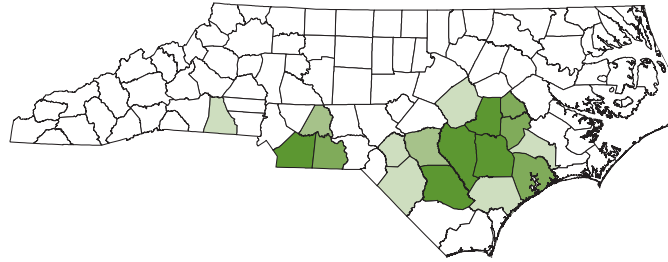
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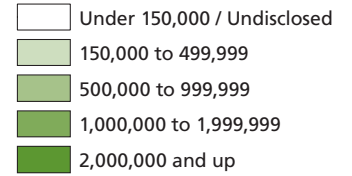
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Leading Counties ¹	Number
Sampson	8,200,000
Duplin	5,000,000
Wayne	4,000,000
Union	3,150,000
Bladen	2,000,000
Onslow	1,900,000
Greene	1,800,000
Lenoir	1,550,000
Anson	1,100,000
Cumberland	620,000

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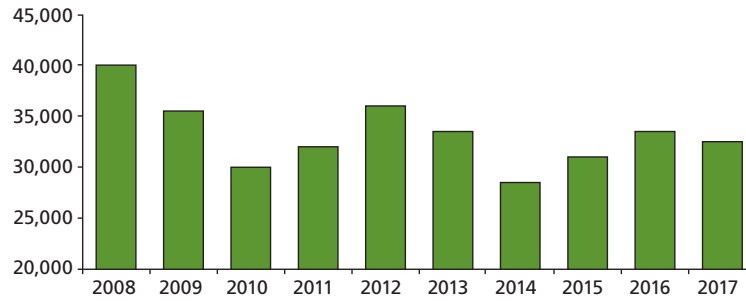


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TURKEYS

Number Raised (Thousand Head)



BROILERS

Number Produced

Counties	2016	2017	Counties	2016	2017
	<i>Head</i>			<i>Head</i>	
Alamance	660,000	690,000	Mitchell	*	*
Alexander	31,800,000	32,300,000	Montgomery	24,300,000	24,600,000
Alleghany	*	*	Moore	26,600,000	27,000,000
Anson	29,200,000	29,600,000	Nash	11,100,000	11,300,000
Ashe	*	*	New Hanover	*	*
Avery	(D)	(D)	Northampton	9,500,000	9,650,000
Beaufort	(D)	(D)	Onslow	5,300,000	5,350,000
Bertie	32,900,000	33,400,000	Orange	14,300	14,500
Bladen	11,300,000	11,500,000	Pamlico	*	*
Brunswick	*	*	Pasquotank	*	*
Buncombe	6,300	6,400	Pender	9,650,000	9,800,000
Burke	5,450,000	5,500,000	Perquimans	10,900,000	11,000,000
Cabarrus	3,150,000	3,200,000	Person	(D)	(D)
Caldwell	1,300,000	1,300,000	Pitt	10,600,000	10,700,000
Camden	*	*	Polk	*	*
Carteret	*	*	Randolph	36,600,000	37,100,000
Caswell	*	*	Richmond	35,800,000	36,400,000
Catawba	11,300,000	11,500,000	Robeson	49,800,000	50,600,000
Chatham	19,900,000	20,200,000	Rockingham	*	*
Cherokee	*	*	Rowan	4,500,000	4,550,000
Chowan	2,650,000	2,700,000	Rutherford	4,850,000	4,900,000
Clay	*	*	Sampson	40,900,000	41,500,000
Cleveland	22,600,000	23,000,000	Scotland	12,700,000	12,900,000
Columbus	3,050,000	3,100,000	Stanly	9,000,000	9,100,000
Craven	*	*	Stokes	*	*
Cumberland	2,150,000	2,200,000	Surry	27,700,000	28,100,000
Currituck	*	*	Swain	*	*
Dare	*	*	Transylvania	2,400	2,500
Davidson	6,100,000	6,200,000	Tyrrell	*	*
Davie	*	*	Union	64,400,000	65,300,000
Duplin	68,800,000	69,800,000	Vance	*	*
Durham	(D)	(D)	Wake	6,000	6,100
Edgecombe	6,850,000	6,950,000	Warren	*	*
Forsyth	*	*	Washington	*	*
Franklin	1,750,000	1,750,000	Watauga	*	*
Gaston	2,250,000	2,250,000	Wayne	14,800,000	15,000,000
Gates	8,100,000	8,200,000	Wilkes	54,000,000	54,800,000
Graham	*	*	Wilson	(D)	(D)
Granville	(D)	(D)	Yadkin	6,600,000	6,700,000
Greene	3,250,000	3,300,000	Yancey	*	*
Guilford	(D)	(D)	Other Counties	1,456,500	1,526,000
Halifax	(D)	(D)	State Total	818,700,000	830,800,000
Harnett	25,200,000	25,600,000			
Haywood	*	*			
Henderson	1,400	1,400			
Hertford	10,800,000	10,900,000			
Hoke	5,400,000	5,500,000			
Hyde	*	*			
Iredell	1,900,000	1,950,000			
Jackson	3,100	3,100			
Johnston	9,300,000	9,450,000			
Jones	2,950,000	3,000,000			
Lee	4,000,000	4,050,000			
Lenoir	2,050,000	2,100,000			
Lincoln	7,850,000	8,000,000			
McDowell	1,000,000	1,000,000			
Macon	*	*			
Madison	(D)	(D)			
Martin	2,650,000	2,700,000			
Mecklenburg	*	*			

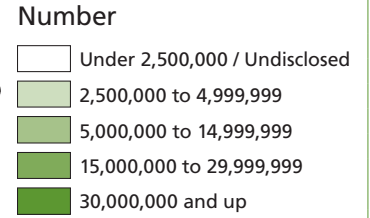
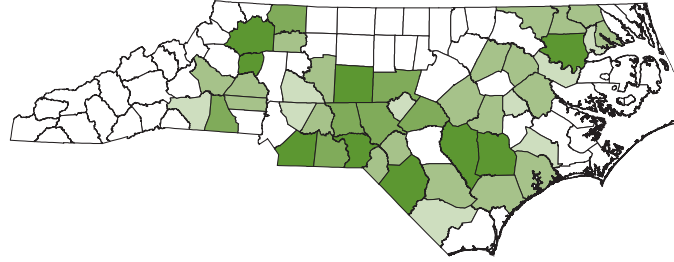
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BROILERS

Number Produced, 2017

Leading Counties ¹	Number
Duplin	69,800,000
Union	65,300,000
Wilkes	54,800,000
Robeson	50,600,000
Sampson	41,500,000
Randolph	37,100,000
Richmond	36,400,000
Bertie	33,400,000
Alexander	32,300,000
Anson	29,600,000

¹ Ranking of published counties only.



BROILERS

Number Produced (Thousand Head)



LAYERS

Number on Farms, December 1

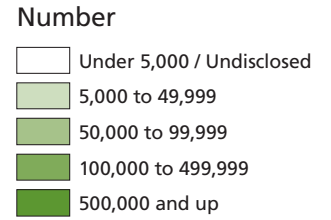
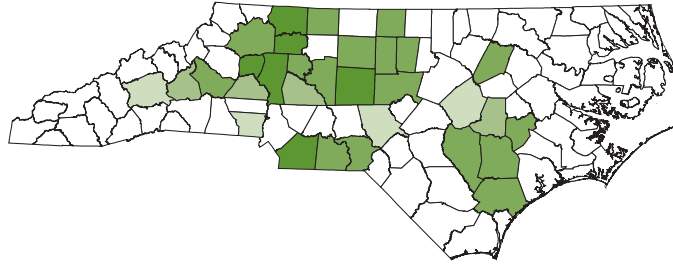
Counties	2016	2017	Counties	2016	2017
	<i>Head</i>			<i>Head</i>	
Alamance	165,000	165,000	Mitchell	*	*
Alexander	920,000	920,000	Montgomery	(D)	(D)
Alleghany	*	*	Moore	32,000	32,000
Anson	315,000	315,000	Nash	355,000	355,000
Ashe	2,900	2,900	New Hanover	*	*
Avery	*	*	Northampton	*	*
Beaufort	*	*	Onslow	*	*
Bertie	*	*	Orange	165,000	165,000
Bladen	(D)	(D)	Pamlico	*	*
Brunswick	1,500	1,500	Pasquotank	*	*
Buncombe	9,300	9,300	Pender	155,000	155,000
Burke	160,000	160,000	Perquimans	*	*
Cabarrus	(D)	(D)	Person	*	*
Caldwell	(D)	(D)	Pitt	*	*
Camden	*	*	Polk	1,300	1,300
Carteret	1,400	1,400	Randolph	540,000	540,000
Caswell	280,000	285,000	Richmond	115,000	115,000
Catawba	80,000	80,000	Robeson	2,000	2,000
Chatham	310,000	310,000	Rockingham	(D)	(D)
Cherokee	(D)	(D)	Rowan	60,000	60,000
Chowan	*	*	Rutherford	2,300	2,300
Clay	*	*	Sampson	300,000	300,000
Cleveland	(D)	(D)	Scotland	*	*
Columbus	2,500	2,500	Stanly	(D)	(D)
Craven	*	*	Stokes	300,000	305,000
Cumberland	*	*	Surry	675,000	675,000
Currituck	*	*	Swain	*	*
Dare	*	*	Transylvania	1,900	1,900
Davidson	110,000	110,000	Tyrrell	*	*
Davie	110,000	110,000	Union	1,400,000	1,400,000
Duplin	460,000	460,000	Vance	*	*
Durham	2,500	2,500	Wake	3,400	3,400
Edgecombe	(D)	(D)	Warren	(D)	(D)
Forsyth	2,800	2,800	Washington	*	*
Franklin	(D)	(D)	Watauga	1,700	1,700
Gaston	19,500	19,500	Wayne	96,000	96,000
Gates	*	*	Wilkes	410,000	415,000
Graham	*	*	Wilson	*	*
Granville	1,400	1,400	Yadkin	1,150,000	1,150,000
Greene	*	*	Yancey	1,200	1,200
Guilford	355,000	355,000	Other Counties	4,671,400	4,675,400
Halifax	(D)	(D)	State Total	15,143,000	15,162,000
Harnett	1,600	1,600			
Haywood	1,600	1,600			
Henderson	1,900	1,900			
Hertford	*	*			
Hoke	*	*			
Hyde	(D)	(D)			
Iredell	1,150,000	1,150,000			
Jackson	1,300	1,300			
Johnston	30,000	30,000			
Jones	*	*			
Lee	(D)	(D)			
Lenoir	120,000	120,000			
Lincoln	3,400	3,400			
McDowell	81,000	81,000			
Macon	1,200	1,200			
Madison	4,000	4,000			
Martin	*	*			
Mecklenburg	*	*			

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LAYERS

Number on Farms, December 1, 2017

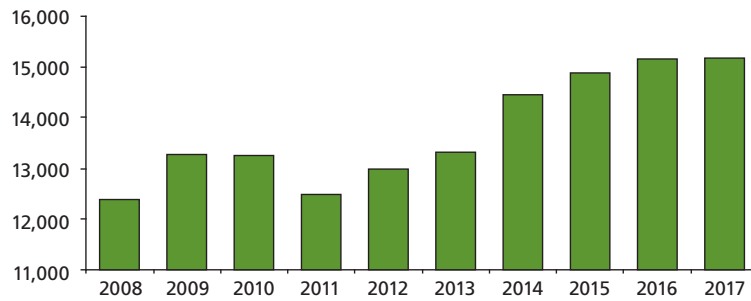
Leading Counties ¹	Number
Union	1,400,000
Iredell ²	1,150,000
Yadkin ²	1,150,000
Alexander	920,000
Surry	675,000
Randolph	540,000
Duplin	460,000
Wilkes	415,000
Guilford ³	355,000
Nash ³	355,000



¹ Ranking of published counties only.
² Ranked 2nd. ³ Ranked 9th.

LAYERS

Number on Farms, December 1 (*Thousand Head*)





CROPS

STOCKS *and* STORAGE

Highs AND Lows

BIOTECHNOLOGY VARIETIES

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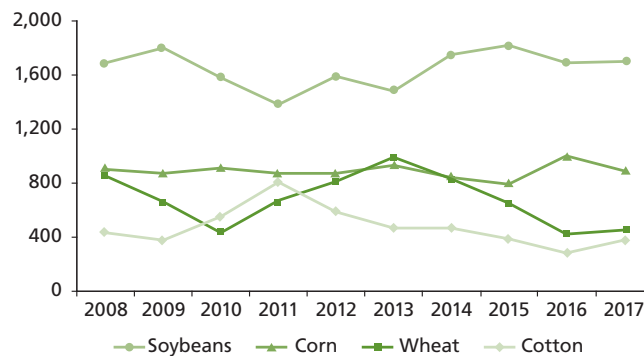
COUNTY ESTIMATES

Fruits AND Vegetables

USUAL PLANTING AND HARVESTING DATES

Crops		Usual Planting Dates			Usual Harvest Dates		
		Begin	Most Active	End	Begin	Most Active	End
Field Crops:							
Barley:	Grain	Sep 25	Oct 15-Nov 10	Dec 1	May 25	Jun 10-Jun 30	Jul 25
Corn:	Grain	Apr 1	Apr 10-Apr 25	May 20	Aug 20	Sep 10-Oct 10	Oct 10
	Silage	Apr 1	Apr 10-Apr 25	May 20	Aug 1	Aug 20-Sep 20	Oct 20
Cotton		Apr 20	May 1-May 20	Jun 10	Sep 30	Oct 10-Nov 15	Dec 15
Hay:	Alfalfa				Apr 30	-	Nov 15
	Other				Apr 30	-	Nov 15
Potatoes		Mar 5	Mar 10-Apr 10	Apr 30	Jun 10	Jun 25-Jul 15	Aug 10
Oats:	Grain	Sep 15	Oct 15-Nov 25	Dec 10	May 30	Jun 10-Jun 30	Jul 25
Peanuts		Apr 30	May 10-May 30	Jun 1	Sep 25	Oct 10-Oct 30	Nov 15
Sorghum:	Grain	May 5	May 25-Jun 15	Jul 15	Aug 15	Oct 1-Oct 20	Nov 25
	Silage	May 1	May 10-Jun 10	Jul 5	Jul 25	Aug 10-Sep 15	Oct 1
Soybeans		May 1	May 20-Jun 30	Jul 20	Oct 10	Nov 10-Dec 5	Dec 20
Sweet Potatoes		May 5	May 20-Jun 15	Jul 15	Sep 1	Sep 25-Nov 5	Nov 20
Tobacco:	Burley	May 15	May 20-Jun 10	Jun 30	Aug 20	Sep 1-Sep 20	Oct 15
	Flue-cured	Apr 15	Apr 20-May 25	Jun 5	Jul 1	Jul 20-Sep 15	Oct 10
Wheat:	Grain	Sep 20	Oct 15-Nov 20	Dec 20	May 30	Jun 10-Jun 30	Jul 25
Vegetables:							
Cabbage:	Spring	Jan 1	Feb 5-Mar 1	Mar 20	Apr 20	May 10-Jun 15	Jun 30
	Summer	Mar 20	Mar 25-Apr 5	Apr 15	Jun 10	Jul 15-Oct 15	Oct 30
	Fall	Jul 15	Jul 20-Aug 5	Aug 10	Oct 10	Oct 15-Dec 30	Jan 30
Cucumbers:	Fresh Market Spring	Mar 25	Apr 1-May 1	May 5	Jun 1	Jun 1-Jun 30	Jul 5
	Fresh Market Summer	Apr 25	May 1-May 15	May 20	Jun 1	Jun 1-Jul 30	Oct 20
Cucumbers:	Processing Spring	Mar 25	Apr 1-May 15	May 20	Jun 1	Jun 10-Jul 30	Jul 25
	Processing Summer	Jul 10	Jul 15-Sep 1	Sep 5	Jul 1	Oct 1-Oct 15	Oct 30
Peppers:	Bell	Apr 1	Apr 10-May 1	May 15	Oct 10	Jul 1-Jul 30	Sep 1
Snap Beans:	Fresh Market Spring	Mar 10	Mar 15-Apr 5	Apr 15	May 15	Jun 1-Jun 30	Jul 20
	Fresh Market Summer	Apr 15	Apr 20-May 15	May 20	Jul 1	Jul 15-Sep 15	Oct 1
	Fresh Market Fall	Aug 5	Aug 10-Aug 20	Aug 25	Sep 25	Oct 1-Oct 30	Nov 10
Squash		Apr 1	Apr 15-May 5	May 30	Jun 1	Jun 15-Jul 30	Sep 1
Strawberries		Sep 20	Sep 25-Oct 15	Nov 1	Apr 10	Apr 20-May 20	Jun 10
Sweet Corn		Mar 5	Mar 10-Jun 1	Jun 5	Jun 1	Jun 15-Jul 30	Sep 10
Tomatoes		Apr 15	Apr 20-Jun 1	Jun 5	Jun 15	Jul 15-Sep 15	Oct 15
Watermelons		Mar 25	Mar 30-May 5	May 10	Jul 1	Jul 15-Aug 20	Sep 10

NORTH CAROLINA PLANTED ACRES (Thousand Acres)



CROP RECORD HIGHS

Crops	Unit	Date Series Began	Record High					
			Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production	
			Year	Acres	Year	Yield	Year	Production
			<i>Thousands</i>				<i>Thousands</i>	
FIELD CROPS:								
Barley	Bu	1924	1981	75	2011	81.0	1981	4,125
Corn for Grain	Bu	1866	1899	2,726	2013	142.0	1982	155,430
Corn for Silage	Ton	1919	1983	152	2014	19.0	1984	2,240
Cotton: Upland ¹	Lb	1866	1926	1,802	2014	1,038.0	2001	1,673
Cottonseed	Ton	1866	-	-	-	-	2001	559
Hay: All	Ton	1909	1945	1,374	2003	2.6	2013	2,064
Hay: Alfalfa	Ton	1919	1957	88	2009	3.6	1957	185
Hay: Other	Ton	1919	1945	1,274	2003	2.6	2013	2,040
Potatoes	Cwt	1866	1889	542	2011	80.0	1956	19,680
Oats	Bu	1909	1945	320	2014	4,300.0	1981	555,560
Peanuts	Lb	1866	1943	110	2013	240.0	1946	7,774
Sorghum for Grain	Bu	1929	1971	120	2001	70.0	1971	6,240
Sorghum for Silage	Ton	1949	1972	34	1981	13.5	1971	390
Soybeans	Bu	1924	1982	2,100	2014	40.0	2014	69,200
Sweet Potatoes	Cwt	1868	1932	101	2014	220.0	2017	19,690
Tobacco: All	Lb	1866	1939	851	1994	2,467.0	1951	999,725
Tobacco: Burley	Lb	1919	1945	13	1969	2,570.0	1982	31,179
Tobacco: Flue-cured	Lb	1919	1939	843	1994	2,478.0	1955	978,775
Wheat	Bu	1866	2013	925	2011	68.0	2013	52,725
FRUITS AND NUTS:								
Apples: Commercial	Lb	1934	-	-	-	-	1983	415,000
Blueberries	Lb	1972	2015	8.0	2014	7,070	2015	49,900
Grapes	Ton	1909	-	-	-	-	1912	8.6
Peaches	Ton	1899	-	-	-	-	1941	76.0
Strawberries	Cwt	1949	1950	2.9	2014	154	2000	231

¹ Production in 480-lb net weight bales. NOTE: In some cases, the acreage or yield or production is identical for more than one year. In such cases, the year shown is the latest year of occurrence.

CROP RECORD LOWS

Crops	Unit	Date Series Began	Record Low					
			Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production	
			Year	Acres	Year	Yield	Year	Production
			<i>Thousands</i>				<i>Thousands</i>	
FIELD CROPS:								
Barley	Bu	1924	1924	5	1932	15.0	1924	90
Corn for Grain	Bu	1866	2001	625	1881	9.5	1866	15,912
Corn for Silage	Ton	1919	1919	4	1932	4.5	1919	26
Cotton: Upland ¹	Lb	1866	1978	42	1878	124.0	1983	43
Cottonseed	Ton	1866	-	-	-	-	1979	15
Hay: All	Ton	1909	1973	325	1925	0.6	1911	398
Hay: Alfalfa	Ton	1919	1921	3	1921	1.4	1921	4
Hay: Other	Ton	1919	1973	312	1925	0.6	1925	313
Potatoes	Cwt	1866	2016	9	1871	8.0	2017	660
Oats	Bu	1909	2009	66	1909	675.0	1911	119,350
Peanuts	Lb	1866	1867	10	1911	29.0	1866	444
Sorghum for Grain	Bu	1929	1945	2	1946	23.0	1945	50
Sorghum for Silage	Ton	1949	1950	1	1993	4.0	1949	7
Soybeans	Bu	1924	1924	75	1943	9.0	1933	1,026
Sweet Potatoes	Cwt	1868	1964	18	1900	34.0	1869	1,691
Tobacco: All	Lb	1866	1866	16	1883	340.0	1866	7,840
Tobacco: Burley	Lb	1919	2017	0.9	1922	500.0	1919	1,412
Tobacco: Flue-cured	Lb	1919	2005	123.0	1924	585.0	1921	246,540
Wheat	Bu	1866	1966	165	1885	4.0	1866	1,800
FRUITS AND NUTS:								
Apples: Commercial	Lb	1934	-	-	-	-	1955	1,680
Blueberries	Lb	1972	2001	2.7	1976	440	1976	1,496
Grapes	Ton	1909	-	-	-	-	1957	0.8
Peaches	Ton	1899	-	-	-	-	1955	²
Strawberries	Cwt	1949	2014	1.1	1972	9	1955	13

¹ Production in 480-lb net weight bales. ² Productions too small to estimate. NOTE: In some cases, the acreage or yield or production is identical for more than one year. In such cases, the year shown is the latest year of occurrence.

ANNUAL CROP SUMMARY

Crops	Unit	2016					
		Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production	Price per Unit	Value
		<i>Thousands</i>		<i>Units</i>	<i>Thousands</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>
FIELD CROPS							
Corn for Grain ¹	Bu.	1,000	940	129	121,260	4.07	493,528
Corn for Silage ²	Ton	-	40	16	620	-	-
Cotton, Upland ³	Lb.	280	255	646	343	0.658	108,333
Cottonseed	Ton	-	-	-	99	184.00	18,216
Hay: All	Ton	-	687	2.31	1,587	116.00	184,805
Hay: Alfalfa	Ton	-	7	3.30	23	215.00	4,945
Hay: Other	Ton	-	680	2.30	1,564	115.00	179,860
Oats	Bu.	35	9	60	540	2.20	1,188
Peanuts	Lb.	101	99	3,530	349,470	0.213	74,437
Potatoes	Cwt.	14.0	13.6	220	2,992	10.90	32,613
Sorghum for Grain	Bu.	45.0	37	55	2,035	6.50	7,407
Sorghum for Silage	Ton	-	4	10	40	-	-
Soybeans for Beans	Bu.	1,690	1,660	35	58,100	9.80	569,380
Sweet Potatoes	Cwt.	98	95	180	17,100	18.10	309,510
Tobacco: All	Lb.	-	166.0	1,999	331,800	1.940	643,602
Tobacco: Burley	Lb.	-	1.0	1,800	1,800	1.890	3,402
Tobacco: Flue-cured	Lb.	-	165.0	2,000	330,000	1.940	640,200
Wheat	Bu.	420	355	41	14,555	4.61	67,099
FRUIT							
		<i>Actual Acres</i>			<i>Utilized</i>		
Apples	Lb.	-	5,100	20,400	103,000	0.237	24,461
Blueberries	Lb.	-	7,200	6,390	46,000	1.45	66,924
Grapes	Ton	-	2,300	2.13	4.9	895.00	4,386
Peaches	Ton	-	1,200	3.00	3.6	1,290.00	4,644
VEGETABLES							
Fresh Market:							
		<i>Actual Acres</i>					
Bell Peppers	Cwt.	2,400	2,300	250	575	33.00	18,975
Cabbage	Cwt.	3,000	2,900	245	711	18.40	13,073
Cantaloupe	Cwt.	1,200	1,100	188	207	32.00	6,618
Cucumbers	Cwt.	11,000	10,800	140	1,512	19.10	28,913
Pumpkins	Cwt.	3,800	3,600	260	936	24.70	23,164
Snap Beans	Cwt.	5,900	5,000	39	195	32.50	6,335
Squash	Cwt.	3,200	3,100	66	205	30.00	6,138
Strawberries	Cwt.	1,300	1,200	120	144	187.00	26,928
Tomatoes	Cwt.	3,200	3,100	310	961	54.20	52,086
Watermelons	Cwt.	6,600	6,300	230	1,449	14.20	20,576

¹ Planted for all purposes. ² Green-weight. ³ Production in 480-lb. net weight bales.

ANNUAL CROP SUMMARY

Crops	Unit	2017					
		Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production	Price per Unit	Value
		<i>Thousands</i>		<i>Units</i>	<i>Thousands</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>
FIELD CROPS							
Corn for Grain ¹	Bu.	890	840	142	119,280	4.20	500,976
Corn for Silage ²	Ton	-	40	18	720	-	-
Cotton, Upland ³	Lb.	375	367	969	741	0.678	239,198
Cottonseed	Ton	-	-	-	217	119.00	25,823
Hay: All	Ton	-	653	2.30	1,503	115.00	172,102
Hay: Alfalfa	Ton	-	3	2.70	8	209.00	1,672
Hay: Other	Ton	-	650	2.30	1,495	114.00	170,430
Oats	Bu.	35	10	66	660	2.60	1,716
Peanuts	Lb.	119	117	4,100	479,700	0.236	113,209
Potatoes	Cwt.	16.0	15.1	230	3,473	11.40	39,592
Sorghum for Grain	Bu.	20	15	50	750	6.30	2,646
Sorghum for Silage	Ton	-	4	10	40	-	-
Soybeans for Beans	Bu.	1,700	1,690	40	67,600	9.45	638,820
Sweet Potatoes	Cwt.	90	89.5	220	19,690	15.30	346,544
Tobacco: All	Lb.	-	163.9	2,197	360,040	2.000	723,594
Tobacco: Burley	Lb.	-	0.9	1,600	1,440	1.940	2,808
Tobacco: Flue-cured	Lb.	-	163.0	2,200	358,600	2.000	720,786
Wheat	Bu.	450	375	55	20,625	4.65	95,906
FRUIT							
		<i>Actual Acres</i>					
Apples: Commercial	Lb.	-	5,000	20,000	98,000	0.247	24,247
Blueberries	Lb.	-	6,300	4,020	25,330	2.12	53,797
Grapes	Ton	-	2,300	3.13	7.20	734.00	5,287
Peaches	Ton	-	1,200	2.17	2.60	1,540.00	4,004
VEGETABLES							
		<i>Actual Acres</i>					
Fresh Market:							
Bell Peppers	Cwt.	2,400	2,300	270	621	45.00	27,914
Cabbage	Cwt.	2,600	2,500	280	700	15.10	10,570
Cantaloupe	Cwt.	1,200	1,100	205	225.5	26.00	5,863
Cucumbers	Cwt.	10,500	10,500	160	1,680	17.20	28,699
Pumpkins	Cwt.	3,500	3,400	210	714	18.60	13,143
Snap Beans	Cwt.	5,800	5,600	37	207	36.40	7,506
Squash	Cwt.	2,400	2,300	97	223	45.40	10,112
Strawberries	Cwt.	1,200	1,100	135	149	166.00	23,440
Tomatoes	Cwt.	3,000	2,900	330	957	46.20	41,794
Watermelons	Cwt.	6,700	6,500	300	1,950	10.80	20,787

(N/A) Not available. ¹ Planted for all purposes. ² Green-weight. ³ Production in 480-lb. net weight bales.

GRAIN STOCKS

Year	On-Farm Stocks				Off-Farm Stocks ¹				Total Stocks All Positions			
	Mar 1	Jun 1	Sep 1	Dec 1	Mar 1	Jun 1	Sep 1	Dec 1	Mar 1	Jun 1	Sep 1	Dec 1
<i>Thousand Bushels</i>												
CORN												
2013	9,200	2,600	900	36,000	19,545	10,775	4,086	30,930	28,745	13,375	4,986	66,930
2014	14,500	4,700	1,400	29,000	21,341	12,443	4,155	26,488	35,841	17,143	5,555	55,488
2015	13,000	6,500	1,800	26,000	21,118	13,777	9,168	28,430	34,118	20,277	10,968	54,430
2016	11,000	4,400	1,700	34,000	25,846	18,211	7,912	48,089	36,846	22,611	9,612	82,089
2017	13,000	5,400	2,200	35,000	34,536	22,369	8,070	47,069	47,536	27,769	10,270	82,069
SOYBEANS												
2013	*	*	*	*	11,900	4,615	2,225	16,384	*	*	*	*
2014	*	*	*	*	7,941	3,425	*	17,630	*	*	*	*
2015	*	*	*	*	12,259	7,225	2,080	12,791	*	*	*	*
2016	*	*	*	*	13,863	7,328	2,332	20,465	*	*	*	*
2017	*	*	*	*	13,622	7,037	*	16,981	*	*	*	*
WHEAT												
2013	700	90	3,500	1,950	8,291	3,983	18,359	14,347	8,991	4,073	21,859	16,297
2014	500	65	5,700	3,250	9,873	5,520	21,600	16,854	10,373	5,585	27,300	20,104
2015	2,000	550	2,200	1,300	13,638	5,174	19,917	16,844	15,638	5,724	22,117	18,144
2016	600	180	1,900	1,150	10,013	4,113	8,980	8,376	10,613	4,293	10,880	9,526
2017	500	100	2,800	1,450	5,024	3,045	13,565	9,881	5,524	3,145	16,365	11,331

¹ Includes stocks at mills, elevators, warehouses, terminals and processors. * "On-Farm" & "Total" estimates not published at state level. (D) "Off-Farm" estimates not published to avoid disclosure of individual farms.

HAY STOCKS ON FARMS

Year	May 1	Dec 1
<i>Thousand Tons</i>		
2013	240	1,380
2014	220	1,300
2015	260	1,120
2016	260	1,200
2017	218	880

GRAIN STORAGE CAPACITY

On-Farm and Off-Farm Facilities, December 1

Year	Off-Farm Facilities	Rated Off-Farm Storage Capacity	Rated On-Farm Storage Capacity
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Thousand Bushels</i>	
2013	165	88,000	100,000
2014	165	94,000	105,000
2015	168	94,000	105,000
2016	174	99,000	105,000
2017	175	103,000	105,000

UPLAND COTTON BIOTECHNOLOGY VARIETIES

Percent Planted

Year	North Carolina				United States			
	Insect Resistant (BT)	Herbicide Resistant	Stacked Gene	All Biotech Varieties	Insect Resistant (BT)	Herbicide Resistant	Stacked Gene	All Biotech Varieties
2014	3	5	89	97	5	12	79	96
2015	1	7	89	97	5	10	79	94
2016	2	1	93	96	4	9	80	93
2017	3	4	89	96	5	11	80	96
2018	1	3	89	93	3	9	82	94



CORN FOR GRAIN

Acres, Yield and Production

Counties	2016				2017			
	Planted for All Purposes	Harvested for Grain	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted for All Purposes	Harvested for Grain	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Bushels</i>		<i>Acres</i>		<i>Bushels</i>	
Alamance	3,700	3,200	145	465,000	3,300	2,390	123	295,000
Alexander	2,000	850	122	103,500	2,200	660	132	87,100
Alleghany	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Anson	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	9,800	8,440	119	1,004,000
Ashe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Avery	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Beaufort	52,000	51,000	134	6,807,000	42,600	42,500	165	7,011,000
Bertie	11,000	10,800	130	1,408,000	10,000	9,910	138	1,363,000
Bladen	25,000	24,500	113	2,760,000	21,600	21,000	138	2,900,000
Brunswick	8,500	8,300	113	939,000	7,700	7,490	140	1,050,000
Buncombe	500	150	88	13,200	700	130	159	20,700
Burke	1,600	1,400	92	128,800	1,400	1,250	112	140,000
Cabarrus	5,000	4,500	126	567,000	4,700	4,190	141	592,000
Caldwell	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Camden	17,000	16,700	188	3,140,000	19,500	19,300	183	3,538,000
Carteret	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Caswell	1,300	1,000	125	125,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Catawba	3,400	2,700	127	343,000	3,700	3,150	157	495,000
Chatham	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	2,900	1,980	131	259,000
Cherokee	1,300	900	152	136,800	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Chowan	4,900	4,800	129	620,000	4,800	4,700	144	678,000
Clay	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	*	*	*	*
Cleveland	4,700	3,500	102	358,000	4,500	3,390	138	469,000
Columbus	37,000	36,500	123	4,490,000	36,000	35,000	134	4,686,000
Craven	22,000	21,700	128	2,787,000	19,000	18,800	146	2,735,000
Cumberland	10,000	9,700	122	1,181,000	9,300	9,180	138	1,270,000
Currituck	12,000	11,900	149	1,773,000	10,400	10,300	162	1,664,000
Dare	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Davidson	7,200	5,500	92	505,000	6,500	5,270	122	643,000
Davie	7,300	7,000	111	779,000	5,400	4,950	143	707,000
Duplin	48,000	46,500	132	6,140,000	43,000	41,800	127	5,299,000
Durham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Edgecombe	20,500	20,200	132	2,657,000	14,800	14,400	122	1,757,000
Forsyth	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Franklin	1,200	900	133	119,600	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Gaston	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Gates	5,500	5,400	148	799,000	4,800	4,800	142	680,000
Graham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Granville	2,300	2,000	96	191,500	2,000	1,310	103	135,000
Greene	14,500	14,000	131	1,834,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Guilford	4,500	3,800	129	489,000	4,600	2,740	130	355,000
Halifax	10,500	9,500	110	1,045,000	7,300	7,130	112	795,000
Harnett	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	4,900	4,810	131	629,000
Haywood	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Henderson	2,500	1,900	174	330,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Hertford	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	9,100	8,900	147	1,304,000
Hoke	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Hyde	36,000	34,500	141	4,870,000	34,300	33,700	168	5,663,000
Iredell	19,000	11,000	111	1,225,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Jackson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Johnston	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	8,600	8,500	133	1,126,000
Jones	20,000	19,500	117	2,285,000	15,200	15,100	152	2,301,000
Lee	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Lenoir	27,000	26,500	123	3,248,000	23,900	23,500	132	3,112,000
Lincoln	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	3,800	1,210	124	149,500
McDowell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Macon	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	*	*	*	*
Madison	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Martin	8,500	8,300	113	938,000	5,900	5,850	127	740,000
Mecklenburg	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)

CORN FOR GRAIN

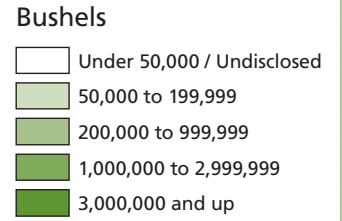
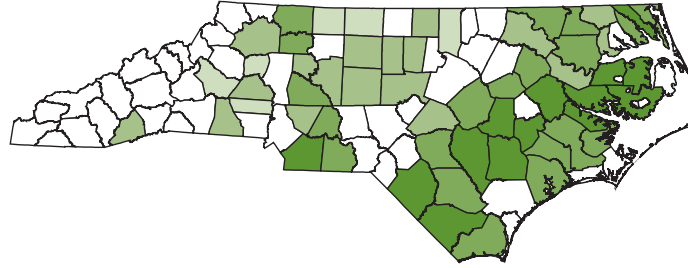
Acres, Yield and Production

Counties	2016				2017			
	Planted for All Purposes	Harvested for Grain	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted for All Purposes	Harvested for Grain	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres		Bushels		Acres		Bushels	
	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Mitchell	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Montgomery	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Moore	1,700	1,600	85	135,600	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Nash	3,900	3,820	132	505,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
New Hanover	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Northampton	12,000	11,800	142	1,680,000	10,400	10,300	132	1,360,000
Onslow	14,000	13,500	106	1,425,000	10,900	10,800	139	1,501,000
Orange	2,500	2,200	167	368,000	2,600	2,150	144	310,000
Pamlico	14,500	13,500	146	1,975,000	15,900	15,500	168	2,600,000
Pasquotank	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	16,700	16,600	177	2,939,000
Pender	17,000	16,400	124	2,036,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Perquimans	15,000	14,800	161	2,380,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Person	2,500	2,200	169	371,000	2,500	2,000	123	246,000
Pitt	28,000	27,500	128	3,520,000	24,300	24,200	132	3,189,000
Polk	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Randolph	7,800	6,400	106	680,000	6,200	3,880	120	464,000
Richmond	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Robeson	70,000	68,500	131	8,940,000	60,800	60,100	132	7,960,000
Rockingham	2,800	1,800	110	198,000	2,000	1,130	126	142,500
Rowan	9,000	8,400	106	893,000	9,300	8,250	145	1,194,000
Rutherford	600	450	87	39,200	*	*	*	*
Sampson	36,000	35,200	143	5,039,000	32,300	31,000	133	4,118,000
Scotland	9,000	8,800	123	1,086,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Stanly	12,500	11,700	131	1,527,000	11,400	10,900	136	1,484,000
Stokes	1,800	1,500	104	155,200	1,300	1,110	119	132,000
Surry	12,500	11,600	145	1,686,000	11,100	10,100	142	1,432,000
Swain	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transylvania	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	1,500	1,150	176	202,000
Tyrrell	26,000	25,500	141	3,582,000	23,100	23,000	167	3,830,000
Union	32,500	32,000	109	3,476,000	32,500	31,900	129	4,101,000
Vance	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wake	700	600	90	54,000	500	300	83	24,900
Warren	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Washington	30,500	29,200	151	4,400,000	31,500	31,300	168	5,260,000
Watauga	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wayne	29,000	28,500	108	3,089,000	23,600	23,400	128	3,003,000
Wilkes	7,500	4,900	132	647,000	7,400	5,470	145	793,000
Wilson	14,000	13,600	138	1,878,000	10,400	10,200	129	1,320,000
Yadkin	13,000	9,550	146	1,394,000	12,900	11,600	122	1,410,000
Yancey	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Counties	116,300	103,880	120	12,500,600	120,700	105,930	138	14,612,300
State Total	1,000,000	940,000	129	121,260,000	890,000	840,000	142	119,280,000

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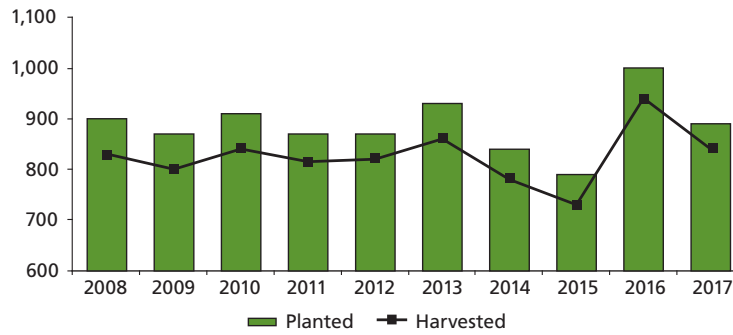
CORN FOR GRAIN 2017 Production

Leading Counties ¹	Bushels
Robeson	7,960,000
Beaufort	7,011,000
Hyde	5,663,000
Duplin	5,299,000
Washington	5,260,000
Columbus	4,686,000
Sampson	4,118,000
Union	4,101,000
Tyrrell	3,830,000
Camden	3,538,000



¹ Ranking of published counties only.

CORN FOR GRAIN Planted and Harvested (Thousand Acres)



COTTON

Acres, Yield and Production

Counties	2016				2017			
	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres		Pounds	480-Pound Bales	Acres		Pounds	480-Pound Bales
Alamance	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Alexander	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Alleghany	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Anson	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Ashe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Avery	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Beaufort	8,800	8,680	664	12,000	10,000	9,500	1,041	20,600
Bertie	15,400	14,000	597	17,400	19,300	19,200	1,025	41,000
Bladen	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Brunswick	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Buncombe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Burke	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cabarrus	*	*	*	*	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Caldwell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Camden	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Carteret	*	*	*	*	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Caswell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Catawba	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Chatham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cherokee	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Chowan	6,500	5,270	583	6,400	8,900	8,830	1,120	20,600
Clay	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cleveland	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Columbus	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Craven	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Cumberland	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	5,800	5,030	805	8,440
Currituck	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Dare	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Davidson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Davie	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Duplin	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	5,400	5,040	1,038	10,900
Durham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Edgecombe	6,500	5,970	579	7,200	16,500	16,100	972	32,600
Forsyth	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Franklin	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Gaston	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Gates	10,100	9,070	741	14,000	9,900	8,210	1,029	17,600
Graham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Granville	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Greene	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	6,500	6,450	900	12,100
Guilford	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Halifax	42,400	36,300	639	48,300	44,900	44,600	884	82,100
Harnett	6,200	5,600	540	6,300	5,900	5,890	659	8,090
Haywood	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Henderson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hertford	9,500	8,400	606	10,600	11,500	10,900	1,154	26,200
Hoke	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Hyde	6,800	5,990	611	7,620	8,600	8,600	1,239	22,200
Iredell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Jackson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Johnston	3,500	3,290	729	5,000	5,000	4,970	860	8,900
Jones	6,400	6,310	616	8,100	13,000	12,900	904	24,300
Lee	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Lenoir	2,400	2,330	721	3,500	7,800	7,800	862	14,000
Lincoln	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
McDowell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Macon	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Madison	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Martin	22,600	16,700	546	19,000	28,200	27,700	991	57,200
Mecklenburg	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*

COTTON

Acres, Yield and Production

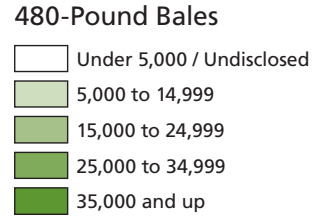
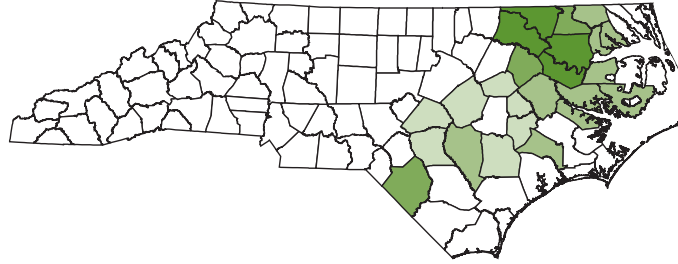
Counties	2016				2017			
	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres		Pounds	480-Pound Bales	Acres		Pounds	480-Pound Bales
Mitchell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Montgomery	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Moore	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Nash	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
New Hanover	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Northampton	32,000	31,700	625	41,300	39,000	38,800	1,065	86,100
Onslow	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Orange	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pamlico	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pasquotank	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Pender	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Perquimans	6,600	6,370	708	9,400	8,800	8,290	1,146	19,800
Person	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pitt	4,900	3,130	537	3,500	10,000	9,970	876	18,200
Polk	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Randolph	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Richmond	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Robeson	7,800	7,790	592	9,600	13,000	12,700	986	26,100
Rockingham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Rowan	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Rutherford	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Sampson	10,800	10,700	552	12,300	13,600	13,600	833	23,600
Scotland	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Stanly	9,300	9,280	1,138	22,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Stokes	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Surry	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Swain	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transylvania	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Tyrrell	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Union	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	*	*	*	*
Vance	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wake	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Warren	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	*	*	*	*
Washington	6,700	5,740	744	8,900	8,700	8,650	1,188	21,400
Watauga	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wayne	2,200	1,830	630	2,400	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Wilkes	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wilson	3,000	2,990	674	4,200	7,300	7,110	965	14,300
Yadkin	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Yancey	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Counties	49,600	47,560	646	63,980	67,400	66,160	904	124,670
State Total	280,000	255,000	646	343,000	375,000	367,000	969	741,000

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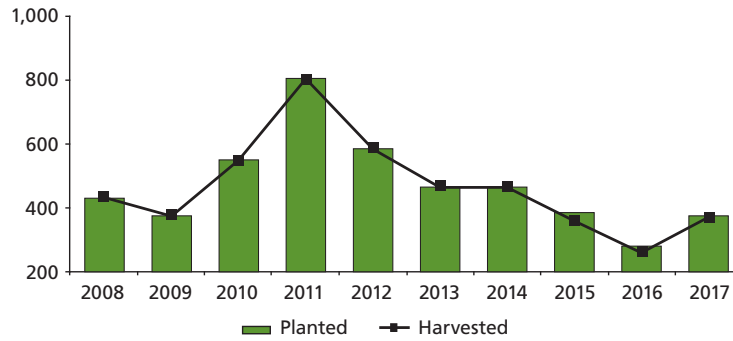
COTTON 2017 Production

Leading Counties ¹	480-Pound Bales
Northampton	86,100
Halifax	82,100
Martin	57,200
Bertie	41,000
Edgecombe	32,600
Hertford	26,200
Robeson	26,100
Jones	24,300
Sampson	23,600
Hyde	22,200

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COTTON Planted and Harvested (Thousand Acres)



OTHER HAY

Acres, Yield and Production

Counties	2016			2017		
	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Tons</i>		<i>Acres</i>	<i>Tons</i>	
Alamance	14,700	2.5	35,700	15,600	2.0	30,100
Alexander	8,500	2.3	19,600	8,800	2.4	20,800
Alleghany	13,000	2.1	26,900	12,700	2.4	29,900
Anson	5,900	2.3	13,500	5,300	2.3	12,200
Ashe	11,000	2.3	25,000	9,400	2.0	18,800
Avery	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Beaufort	*	*	*	*	*	*
Bertie	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Bladen	5,100	2.3	11,800	4,100	3.0	12,200
Brunswick	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Buncombe	11,000	1.9	20,700	9,400	2.7	25,000
Burke	6,600	1.9	12,100	5,900	2.1	12,000
Cabarrus	13,700	2.2	29,800	13,500	2.0	26,500
Caldwell	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Camden	*	*	*	*	*	*
Carteret	*	*	*	*	*	*
Caswell	11,500	2.0	23,000	9,600	1.9	18,100
Catawba	13,000	1.9	24,500	13,000	1.9	24,300
Chatham	16,600	2.4	39,500	15,400	2.2	33,400
Cherokee	4,600	2.4	10,700	4,850	2.9	14,000
Chowan	*	*	*	*	*	*
Clay	2,600	2.3	6,000	2,600	2.2	5,600
Cleveland	13,200	2.0	25,900	13,300	2.1	27,900
Columbus	4,500	2.8	12,600	3,900	2.6	10,100
Craven	1,520	2.9	4,430	1,500	3.1	4,610
Cumberland	5,000	2.5	12,500	4,600	2.5	11,500
Currituck	*	*	*	*	*	*
Dare	*	*	*	*	*	*
Davidson	16,500	1.8	29,300	15,600	2.2	34,200
Davie	11,100	2.2	23,600	9,300	2.1	19,100
Duplin	24,000	3.5	82,300	23,500	3.4	80,000
Durham	(D)	(D)	(D)	2,500	1.8	4,400
Edgecombe	(D)	(D)	(D)	1,850	3.4	6,300
Forsyth	8,100	2.1	17,000	7,800	1.9	14,900
Franklin	13,400	2.7	35,200	13,400	1.8	23,300
Gaston	6,900	1.7	11,500	7,900	2.0	15,400
Gates	*	*	*	*	*	*
Graham	1,000	2.0	2,000	900	2.0	1,800
Granville	12,400	1.8	21,900	11,400	1.8	20,100
Greene	3,300	2.6	8,400	(D)	(D)	(D)
Guilford	15,500	2.3	36,000	14,100	2.1	28,800
Halifax	(D)	(D)	(D)	2,200	2.6	5,700
Harnett	7,900	2.5	19,400	7,100	3.1	21,900
Haywood	6,200	2.3	13,800	5,900	2.7	15,900
Henderson	5,300	2.2	11,400	5,100	2.5	12,500
Hertford	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hoke	2,400	2.6	6,200	2,600	2.3	5,900
Hyde	*	*	*	*	*	*
Iredell	26,900	2.1	56,500	24,600	2.1	50,600
Jackson	2,400	2.0	4,800	2,400	2.5	6,000
Johnston	9,750	3.4	33,300	9,600	2.9	27,500
Jones	(D)	(D)	(D)	1,650	3.3	5,400
Lee	(D)	(D)	(D)	2,700	2.0	5,400
Lenoir	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Lincoln	10,700	1.9	19,700	12,100	2.8	33,900
McDowell	2,900	1.9	5,300	2,500	1.8	4,530
Macon	4,000	2.3	9,100	4,350	2.1	9,100
Madison	7,500	1.7	12,800	(D)	(D)	(D)
Martin	1,100	2.8	3,050	(D)	(D)	(D)
Mecklenburg	2,800	1.5	4,200	2,500	2.0	4,900

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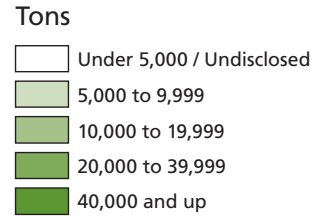
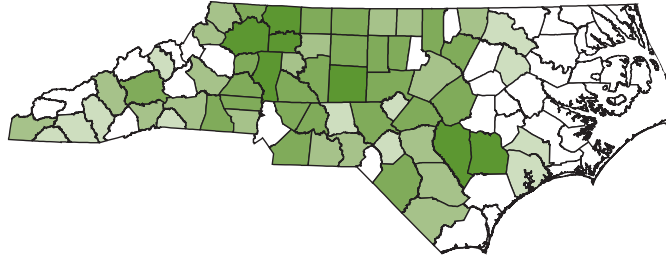
Acres, Yield and Production

Counties	2016			2017		
	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Tons</i>		<i>Acres</i>	<i>Tons</i>	
Mitchell	2,300	2.2	5,000	1,800	1.7	3,100
Montgomery	3,400	2.8	9,400	3,300	2.6	8,600
Moore	7,800	2.5	19,400	7,800	2.6	20,400
Nash	7,300	1.9	13,600	(D)	(D)	(D)
New Hanover	*	*	*	*	*	*
Northampton	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Onslow	2,300	3.2	7,200	2,450	2.8	6,900
Orange	13,800	2.7	36,500	12,400	2.3	28,200
Pamlico	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pasquotank	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pender	1,800	2.7	4,900	1,650	2.5	4,130
Perquimans	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Person	(D)	(D)	(D)	8,500	1.6	13,800
Pitt	2,400	2.3	5,500	2,300	2.1	4,670
Polk	4,600	1.3	6,000	4,300	1.6	6,600
Randolph	21,000	2.2	45,700	22,000	2.3	51,000
Richmond	3,800	3.1	11,700	4,300	3.3	14,000
Robeson	8,800	2.6	22,700	7,250	3.1	22,500
Rockingham	15,200	2.0	30,000	15,600	1.9	29,500
Rowan	16,100	1.9	29,400	16,900	1.9	32,000
Rutherford	13,000	1.3	16,600	11,100	1.6	17,800
Sampson	(D)	(D)	(D)	21,900	3.0	65,500
Scotland	1,300	2.6	3,400	1,370	2.4	3,270
Stanly	11,600	2.0	23,000	11,900	2.0	23,400
Stokes	17,300	2.4	41,000	15,600	2.3	35,500
Surry	20,200	2.8	56,000	19,100	2.4	44,700
Swain	900	2.2	2,000	(D)	(D)	(D)
Transylvania	2,000	2.3	4,500	1,750	2.9	4,970
Tyrrell	*	*	*	*	*	*
Union	11,200	2.0	21,900	11,100	2.2	23,800
Vance	3,200	1.9	6,000	3,000	1.6	4,600
Wake	(D)	(D)	(D)	6,700	1.5	10,200
Warren	7,200	2.2	16,000	7,500	1.5	10,700
Washington	*	*	*	(D)	(D)	(D)
Watauga	6,800	2.0	13,400	6,600	2.1	13,900
Wayne	6,900	3.2	22,100	(D)	(D)	(D)
Wilkes	17,000	2.5	42,900	15,800	2.9	44,800
Wilson	(D)	(D)	(D)	1,000	2.6	2,620
Yadkin	16,200	3.0	48,800	15,200	2.8	41,600
Yancey	3,600	1.7	6,200	2,900	2.3	6,500
Other Counties	66,930	2.6	172,220	39,930	2.5	101,200
State Total	680,000	2.3	1,564,000	650,000	2.3	1,495,000

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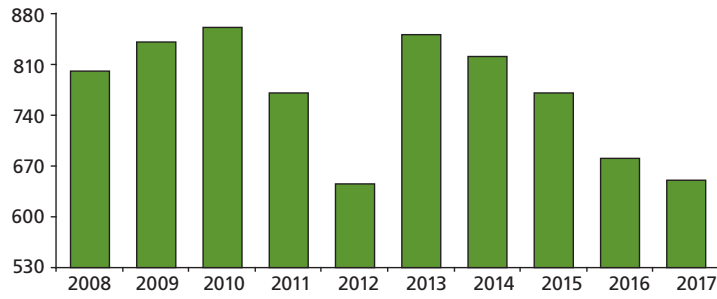
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Leading Counties ¹	Tons
Duplin	80,000
Sampson	65,500
Randolph	51,000
Iredell	50,600
Wilkes	44,800
Surry	44,700
Yadkin	41,600
Stokes	35,500
Davidson	34,200
Lincoln	33,900



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OTHER HAY Harvested (Thousand Acres)



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Acres, Yield and Production

Counties	2016				2017			
	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Pounds</i>		<i>Acres</i>		<i>Pounds</i>	
Alamance	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Alexander	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Alleghany	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Anson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Ashe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Avery	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Beaufort	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Bertie	7,400	7,350	3,522	25,890,000	8,900	8,800	4,350	38,280,000
Bladen	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Brunswick	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Buncombe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Burke	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cabarrus	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Caldwell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Camden	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Carteret	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Caswell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Catawba	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Chatham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cherokee	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Chowan	3,600	3,550	4,496	15,960,000	5,000	4,900	4,898	24,000,000
Clay	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cleveland	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Columbus	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Craven	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Cumberland	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	*	*	*	*
Currituck	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Dare	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Davidson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Davie	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Duplin	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Durham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Edgecombe	5,300	5,180	3,251	16,840,000	7,100	7,000	4,326	30,280,000
Forsyth	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Franklin	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Gaston	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Gates	2,900	2,890	4,125	11,920,000	3,600	3,550	4,873	17,300,000
Graham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Granville	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Greene	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	4,100	4,050	3,889	15,750,000
Guilford	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Halifax	6,900	6,850	3,365	23,050,000	8,800	8,400	4,135	34,730,000
Harnett	*	*	*	*	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Haywood	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Henderson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hertford	4,300	4,270	4,145	17,700,000	4,900	4,850	4,915	23,840,000
Hoke	*	*	*	*	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Hyde	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Iredell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Jackson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Johnston	1,400	1,400	3,486	4,881,000	1,900	1,850	3,757	6,950,000
Jones	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Lee	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Lenoir	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Lincoln	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
McDowell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Macon	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Madison	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Martin	8,900	8,800	3,468	30,520,000	9,300	9,200	4,516	41,550,000
Mecklenburg	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*

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Acres, Yield and Production

Counties	2016				2017			
	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres		Pounds		Acres		Pounds	
Mitchell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Montgomery	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Moore	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Nash	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
New Hanover	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Northampton	4,700	4,680	4,122	19,290,000	5,300	5,250	4,310	22,630,000
Onslow	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Orange	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pamlico	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pasquotank	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pender	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Perquimans	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Person	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pitt	8,300	8,280	2,941	24,350,000	8,400	8,350	3,988	33,300,000
Polk	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Randolph	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Richmond	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Robeson	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Rockingham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Rowan	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Rutherford	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Sampson	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Scotland	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Stanly	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Stokes	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Surry	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Swain	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transylvania	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Tyrrell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Union	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Vance	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wake	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Warren	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Washington	1,200	1,170	3,761	4,400,000	1,300	1,260	4,159	5,240,000
Watauga	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wayne	3,500	3,420	3,094	10,580,000	3,600	3,530	3,881	13,700,000
Wilkes	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wilson	2,500	2,500	3,480	8,700,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Yadkin	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Yancey	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Counties	40,100	38,660	3,502	135,389,000	46,800	46,010	3,742	172,150,000
State Total	101,000	99,000	3,530	349,470,000	119,000	117,000	4,100	479,700,000

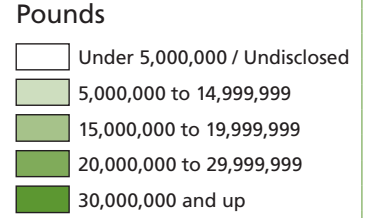
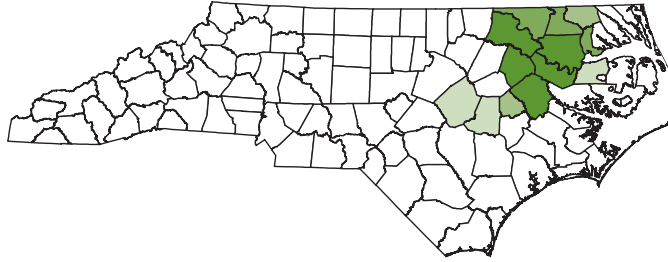
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2017 Production

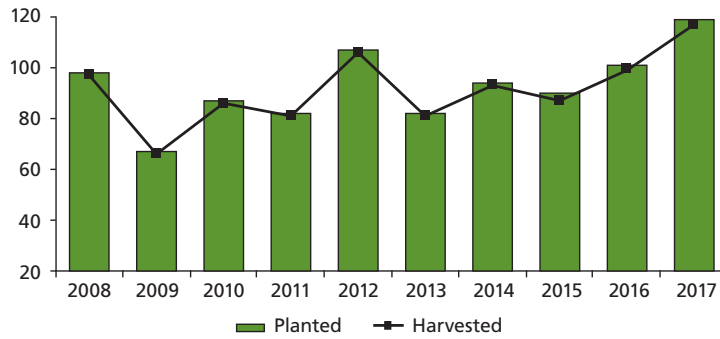
Leading Counties ¹	Pounds
Martin	41,550,000
Bertie	38,280,000
Halifax	34,730,000
Pitt	33,300,000
Edgecombe	30,280,000
Chowan	24,000,000
Hertford	23,840,000
Northampton	22,630,000
Gates	17,300,000
Greene	15,750,000

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Planted and Harvested (Thousand Acres)



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Acres, Yield and Production

Counties	2016				2017			
	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Bushels</i>		<i>Acres</i>		<i>Bushels</i>	
Alamance	4,700	4,400	33	143,000	4,800	4,710	42	198,000
Alexander	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	2,300	2,270	36	82,000
Alleghany	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Anson	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Ashe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Avery	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Beaufort	61,000	60,500	41	2,460,000	70,700	70,600	46	3,268,000
Bertie	32,500	32,300	34	1,081,000	35,000	34,900	45	1,561,000
Bladen	17,000	15,000	30	450,000	18,500	18,300	32	578,000
Brunswick	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	7,500	7,410	35	257,000
Buncombe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Burke	1,100	850	34	28,900	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Cabarrus	6,700	6,600	34	222,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Caldwell	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Camden	31,000	30,900	41	1,266,000	28,800	28,800	44	1,258,000
Carteret	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Caswell	3,100	2,820	26	74,200	3,100	3,000	40	121,000
Catawba	9,600	9,400	30	277,000	8,800	8,680	40	350,000
Chatham	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	2,900	2,680	41	111,000
Cherokee	*	*	*	*	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Chowan	16,000	15,900	43	683,000	14,900	14,800	44	656,000
Clay	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cleveland	16,500	16,300	27	440,000	16,600	16,400	40	656,000
Columbus	56,500	56,000	26	1,474,000	53,100	52,800	33	1,733,000
Craven	24,500	24,300	34	825,000	24,000	23,900	38	910,000
Cumberland	19,500	19,200	30	576,000	19,900	19,800	32	628,000
Currituck	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	18,100	18,000	38	683,000
Dare	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Davidson	10,900	10,700	30	321,000	11,200	11,100	36	395,000
Davie	7,900	7,800	35	273,000	9,200	9,150	42	383,000
Duplin	52,500	52,000	38	1,948,000	52,900	52,800	36	1,887,000
Durham	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Edgecombe	49,000	48,500	35	1,671,000	48,600	48,400	40	1,917,000
Forsyth	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Franklin	18,000	17,600	22	387,000	17,400	17,300	33	574,000
Gaston	4,200	4,200	35	147,000	3,500	3,480	43	150,000
Gates	21,500	21,400	40	860,000	24,100	24,000	45	1,076,000
Graham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Granville	5,000	4,800	26	125,000	4,500	4,110	28	114,000
Greene	36,000	35,500	39	1,383,000	32,200	32,200	39	1,269,000
Guilford	11,000	10,200	31	311,000	10,900	10,300	39	401,000
Halifax	36,500	36,300	37	1,343,000	35,400	35,300	42	1,484,000
Harnett	30,000	29,300	31	893,000	28,800	28,700	32	916,000
Haywood	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Henderson	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Hertford	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Hoke	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Hyde	36,000	34,800	45	1,570,000	35,500	35,500	52	1,848,000
Iredell	17,500	17,400	37	635,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Jackson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Johnston	52,000	51,000	31	1,575,000	54,800	54,400	34	1,862,000
Jones	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Lee	5,000	4,900	26	125,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Lenoir	40,000	39,000	37	1,453,000	37,700	37,600	40	1,496,000
Lincoln	9,000	8,600	27	228,000	6,100	6,070	42	254,000
McDowell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Macon	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Madison	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Martin	24,000	23,800	35	837,000	22,700	22,600	40	912,000
Mecklenburg	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)

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Acres, Yield and Production

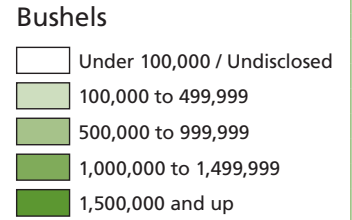
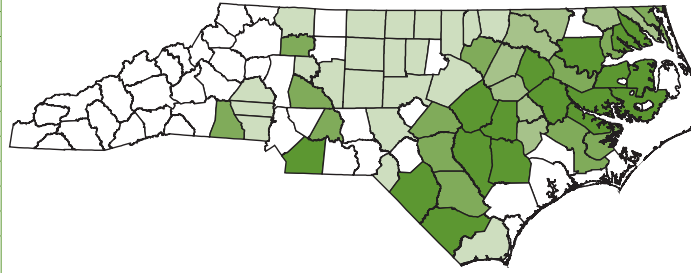
Counties	2016				2017			
	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres		Bushels		Acres		Bushels	
	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Mitchell	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Montgomery	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	4,900	4,840	24	115,000
Moore	31,500	31,400	26	820,000	30,200	30,100	37	1,099,000
Nash	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
New Hanover	36,500	36,300	35	1,270,000	33,100	32,800	42	1,379,000
Northampton	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Onslow	3,700	3,500	36	125,000	3,900	3,780	38	144,000
Orange	19,500	19,400	40	780,000	18,100	18,100	47	844,000
Pamlico	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	52,300	52,300	49	2,534,000
Pasquotank								
Pender	17,500	17,400	35	609,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Perquimans	45,500	45,000	38	1,726,000	44,600	44,500	45	2,000,000
Person	14,000	13,000	29	370,000	13,100	12,400	31	386,000
Pitt	63,500	60,500	31	1,890,000	60,100	60,000	39	2,352,000
Polk	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Randolph	9,000	8,800	33	290,000	9,200	8,910	37	330,000
Richmond	4,200	4,000	21	82,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Robeson	82,500	81,000	32	2,551,000	87,500	87,200	36	3,102,000
Rockingham	5,800	5,300	30	159,000	5,200	4,990	43	213,000
Rowan	20,000	19,700	34	670,000	17,900	17,800	39	699,000
Rutherford	1,800	1,700	29	48,400	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sampson	60,000	59,500	39	2,320,000	62,000	61,800	43	2,671,000
Scotland	12,000	11,800	29	346,000	12,800	12,800	31	394,000
Stanly	19,500	19,400	38	737,000	19,600	19,600	35	688,000
Stokes	3,000	2,700	29	79,100	2,700	2,500	34	85,000
Surry	10,600	10,400	40	416,000	11,900	11,700	42	493,000
Swain	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transylvania	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Tyrrell	30,000	29,300	33	974,000	32,600	32,500	47	1,530,000
Union	62,000	61,900	43	2,678,000	63,300	63,300	44	2,797,000
Vance	6,800	6,700	27	182,000	5,900	5,830	32	184,000
Wake	12,500	12,300	25	307,000	12,800	12,600	25	320,000
Warren	8,200	8,000	25	200,000	8,700	8,470	29	241,000
Washington	43,000	42,500	40	1,700,000	39,700	39,600	46	1,819,000
Watauga	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wayne	57,500	55,000	33	1,814,000	61,500	61,500	39	2,422,000
Wilkes	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	1,600	1,560	43	66,700
Wilson	34,500	34,400	35	1,210,000	33,400	33,300	44	1,471,000
Yadkin	18,800	18,700	32	599,000	19,000	18,800	38	706,000
Yancey	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Counties	190,900	188,130	38	7,062,400	167,900	166,360	39	6,527,300
State Total	1,690,000	1,660,000	35	58,100,000	1,700,000	1,690,000	40	67,600,000

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SOYBEANS 2017 Production

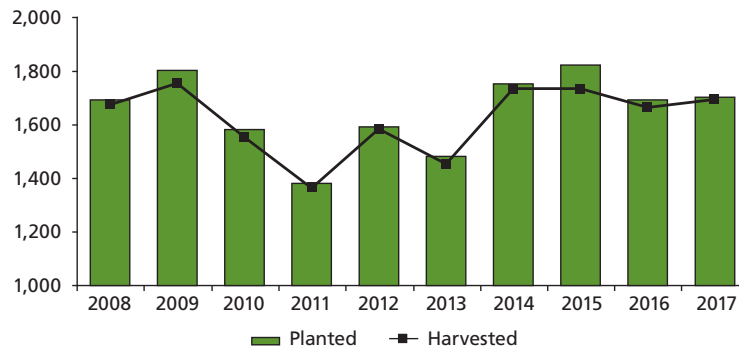
Leading Counties ¹	Bushels
Beaufort	3,268,000
Robeson	3,102,000
Union	2,797,000
Sampson	2,671,000
Pasquotank	2,534,000
Wayne	2,422,000
Pitt	2,352,000
Perquimans	2,000,000
Edgecombe	1,917,000
Duplin	1,887,000

¹ Ranking of published counties only.



SOYBEANS

Planted and Harvested (Thousand Acres)



SWEET POTATOES

Acres, Yield and Production

Counties	2016				2017			
	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Hundredweight</i>		<i>Acres</i>		<i>Hundredweight</i>	
Alamance	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Alexander	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Alleghany	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Anson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Ashe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Avery	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Beaufort	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Bertie	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Bladen	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	*	*	*	*
Brunswick	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Buncombe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Burke	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cabarrus	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Caldwell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Camden	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Carteret	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Caswell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Catawba	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Chatham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cherokee	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Chowan	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Clay	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cleveland	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Columbus	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Craven	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	*	*	*	*
Cumberland	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Currituck	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Dare	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Davidson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Davie	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Duplin	4,900	4,800	165	786,000	3,400	3,400	230	790,000
Durham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Edgecombe	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	8,500	8,470	210	1,796,000
Forsyth	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Franklin	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Gaston	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Gates	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Graham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Granville	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Greene	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Guilford	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Halifax	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Harnett	2,600	2,540	185	464,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Haywood	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Henderson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hertford	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	*	*	*	*
Hoke	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hyde	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Iredell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Jackson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Johnston	11,100	10,900	165	1,785,000	10,900	10,800	195	2,115,000
Jones	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Lee	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Lenoir	3,200	3,150	215	679,000	2,800	2,750	240	659,000
Lincoln	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
McDowell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Macon	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Madison	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Martin	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	400	390	225	87,800
Mecklenburg	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*

SWEET POTATOES

Acres, Yield and Production

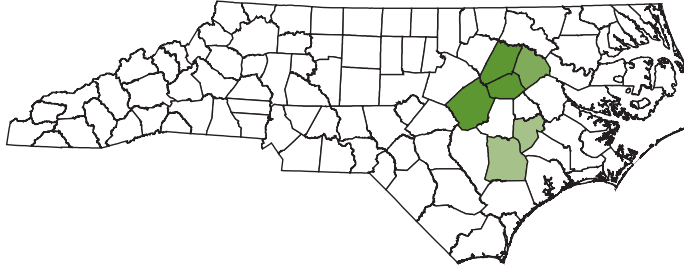
Counties	2016				2017			
	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres		Hundredweight		Acres		Hundredweight	
Mitchell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Montgomery	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Moore	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Nash	10,700	10,400	175	1,842,000	9,700	9,670	225	2,173,000
New Hanover	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Northampton	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Onslow	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Orange	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pamlico	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pasquotank	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pender	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Perquimans	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Person	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pitt	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Polk	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Randolph	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Richmond	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Robeson	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Rockingham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Rowan	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Rutherford	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Sampson	13,900	13,600	200	2,724,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Scotland	*	*	*	*	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Stanly	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Stokes	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Surry	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Swain	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transylvania	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Tyrrell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Union	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Vance	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wake	1,000	950	160	150,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Warren	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Washington	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Watauga	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wayne	6,800	6,700	170	1,144,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Wilkes	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wilson	10,500	10,400	205	2,132,000	9,700	9,700	255	2,456,000
Yadkin	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Yancey	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Counties	33,300	31,560	171	5,394,000	44,600	44,320	217	9,613,200
State Total	98,000	95,000	180	17,100,000	90,000	89,500	220	19,690,000

* Less than 100 Planted Acres. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

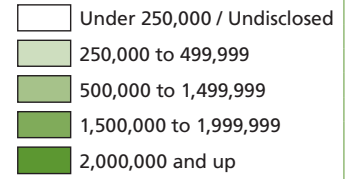
SWEET POTATOES 2017 Production

Leading Counties ¹	Hundredweight
Wilson	2,456,000
Nash	2,173,000
Johnston	2,115,000
Edgecombe	1,796,000
Duplin	790,000
Lenoir	659,000
Martin	87,800

¹ Ranking of published counties only.

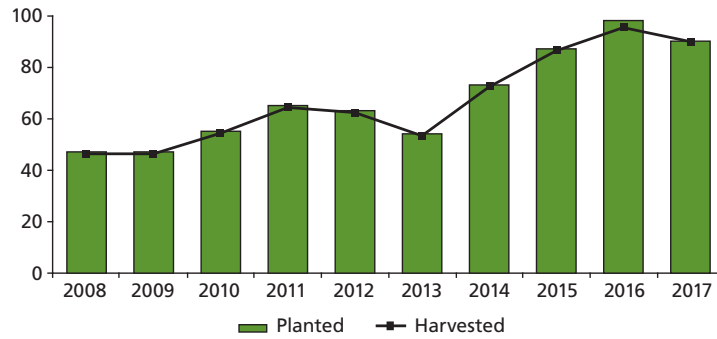


Hundredweight



SWEET POTATOES

Planted and Harvested (Thousand Acres)



FLUE-CURED TOBACCO

Acres, Yield and Production

Counties	2016			2017		
	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Pounds</i>		<i>Acres</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	
Alamance	1,060	1,745	1,850,000	1,020	2,090	2,130,000
Alexander	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Alleghany	*	*	*	*	*	*
Anson	*	*	*	*	*	*
Ashe	*	*	*	*	*	*
Avery	*	*	*	*	*	*
Beaufort	1,940	1,840	3,570,000	(D)	(D)	(D)
Bertie	4,220	1,895	8,000,000	(D)	(D)	(D)
Bladen	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Brunswick						
Buncombe	*	*	*	*	*	*
Burke	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cabarrus	*	*	*	*	*	*
Caldwell	*	*	*	*	*	*
Camden	*	*	*	*	*	*
Carteret	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Caswell	2,500	2,140	5,350,000	2,490	2,235	5,570,000
Catawba	*	*	*	*	*	*
Chatham	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Cherokee	*	*	*	*	*	*
Chowan	*	*	*	*	*	*
Clay	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cleveland	*	*	*	*	*	*
Columbus	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Craven	1,310	1,960	2,570,000	(D)	(D)	(D)
Cumberland	(D)	(D)	(D)	3,300	2,115	6,980,000
Currituck	*	*	*	*	*	*
Dare	*	*	*	*	*	*
Davidson	(D)	(D)	(D)	450	1,700	765,000
Davie	*	*	*	*	*	*
Duplin	2,900	1,655	4,800,000	2,840	1,605	4,560,000
Durham	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Edgecombe	6,480	2,200	14,250,000	6,370	2,270	14,470,000
Forsyth	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Franklin	4,080	1,960	8,000,000	4,410	2,420	10,670,000
Gaston	*	*	*	*	*	*
Gates	*	*	*	*	*	*
Graham	*	*	*	*	*	*
Granville	3,300	1,815	5,990,000	3,010	2,175	6,550,000
Greene	6,530	2,060	13,450,000	7,780	2,190	17,020,000
Guilford	2,410	1,795	4,330,000	2,030	1,805	3,660,000
Halifax	(D)	(D)	(D)	3,380	2,350	7,940,000
Harnett	(D)	(D)	(D)	7,140	2,200	15,700,000
Haywood	*	*	*	*	*	*
Henderson	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hertford	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Hoke	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hyde	*	*	*	*	*	*
Iredell	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Jackson	*	*	*	*	*	*
Johnston	10,800	2,100	22,680,000	9,300	2,340	21,750,000
Jones	(D)	(D)	(D)	2,610	1,725	4,500,000
Lee	2,620	2,040	5,350,000	2,360	2,175	5,130,000
Lenoir	6,530	1,920	12,540,000	6,150	2,070	12,740,000
Lincoln	*	*	*	*	*	*
McDowell	*	*	*	*	*	*
Macon	*	*	*	*	*	*
Madison	*	*	*	*	*	*
Martin	5,010	2,040	10,220,000	4,720	2,490	11,750,000
Mecklenburg	*	*	*	*	*	*

FLUE-CURED TOBACCO

Acres, Yield and Production

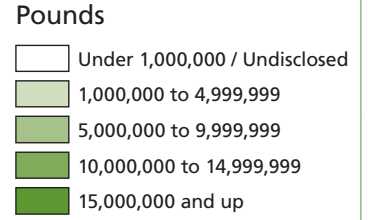
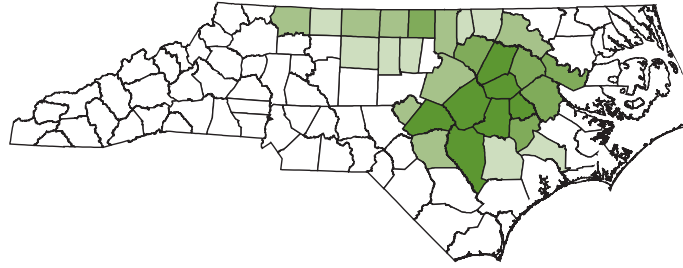
Counties	2016			2017		
	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres	Pounds		Acres	Pounds	
Mitchell	*	*	*	*	*	*
Montgomery	*	*	*	(D)	(D)	(D)
Moore	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Nash	9,050	2,160	19,550,000	8,420	2,455	20,670,000
New Hanover	*	*	*	*	*	*
Northampton	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Onslow	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Orange	820	2,135	1,750,000	810	1,965	1,590,000
Pamlico	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Pasquotank	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pender	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Perquimans	*	*	*	*	*	*
Person	5,080	2,145	10,900,000	5,160	2,330	12,030,000
Pitt	6,430	2,055	13,220,000	6,620	2,205	14,610,000
Polk	*	*	*	*	*	*
Randolph	740	1,985	1,470,000	(D)	(D)	(D)
Richmond	*	*	*	*	*	*
Robeson	1,880	2,130	4,000,000	(D)	(D)	(D)
Rockingham	3,520	1,970	6,930,000	3,510	1,965	6,890,000
Rowan	*	*	*	*	*	*
Rutherford	*	*	*	*	*	*
Sampson	12,500	1,920	24,000,000	12,500	2,035	25,430,000
Scotland	*	*	*	*	*	*
Stanly	*	*	*	*	*	*
Stokes	1,900	1,765	3,350,000	1,830	1,840	3,370,000
Surry	2,990	1,970	5,890,000	2,730	2,465	6,730,000
Swain	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transylvania	*	*	*	*	*	*
Tyrrell	*	*	*	*	*	*
Union	*	*	*	*	*	*
Vance	1,820	2,410	4,390,000	1,800	2,435	4,380,000
Wake	3,750	2,130	7,990,000	3,610	2,130	7,690,000
Warren	1,420	2,360	3,350,000	1,460	2,440	3,560,000
Washington	300	2,100	630,000	280	2,035	570,000
Watauga	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wayne	9,440	1,900	17,950,000	8,000	2,165	17,310,000
Wilkes	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Wilson	8,390	2,095	17,580,000	9,470	2,445	23,150,000
Yadkin	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Yancey	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Counties	33,280	1,926	64,100,000	27,440	2,140	58,735,000
State Total	165,000	2,000	330,000,000	163,000	2,200	358,600,000

* Less than 50 Harvested Acres. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

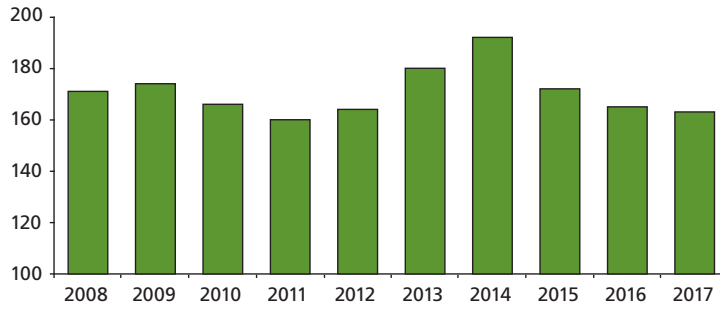
FLUE-CURED TOBACCO 2017 Production

Leading Counties ¹	Pounds
Sampson	25,430,000
Wilson	23,150,000
Johnston	21,750,000
Nash	20,670,000
Wayne	17,310,000
Greene	17,020,000
Harnett	15,700,000
Pitt	14,610,000
Edgecombe	14,470,000
Lenoir	12,740,000

¹ Ranking of published counties only.



FLUE-CURED TOBACCO Harvested (Thousand Acres)



WHEAT

Acres, Yield and Production

Counties	2016				2017			
	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres		Bushels		Acres		Bushels	
Alamance	2,000	1,850	49	90,000	1,800	900	55	49,400
Alexander	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Alleghany	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Anson	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Ashe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Avery	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Beaufort	6,800	4,500	32	144,000	11,000	10,300	62	637,000
Bertie	11,000	9,600	43	411,000	8,800	8,100	58	470,000
Bladen	3,200	3,020	32	95,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Brunswick	*	*	*	*	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Buncombe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Burke	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Cabarrus	3,900	3,250	42	137,000	4,200	3,100	53	165,000
Caldwell	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Camden	7,400	7,300	48	348,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Carteret	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	*	*	*	*
Caswell	1,500	1,150	54	62,600	1,400	680	57	38,900
Catawba	5,100	4,580	48	221,000	4,800	3,680	64	236,000
Chatham	600	530	49	26,200	1,000	950	52	49,500
Cherokee	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Chowan	3,600	3,100	53	164,000	3,700	3,410	63	214,000
Clay	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cleveland	8,200	6,800	51	344,000	9,000	8,780	56	493,000
Columbus	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Craven	1,000	950	37	35,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Cumberland	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Currituck	5,000	4,720	36	169,000	4,500	4,380	50	220,000
Dare	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	*	*	*	*
Davidson	1,800	1,400	55	76,600	2,100	1,330	56	73,900
Davie	3,000	2,800	43	120,000	3,500	2,600	57	148,000
Duplin	8,500	7,500	25	188,000	13,000	11,600	44	514,000
Durham	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Edgecombe	7,800	7,250	21	154,000	10,000	9,240	51	474,000
Forsyth	700	630	54	33,900	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Franklin	6,400	6,000	29	174,000	6,500	4,750	49	232,000
Gaston	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	2,300	1,480	54	80,400
Gates	4,600	4,350	53	232,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Graham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Granville	4,800	3,250	40	129,000	4,700	3,310	51	168,000
Greene	4,100	3,400	32	107,000	5,500	4,500	55	247,000
Guilford	4,800	3,450	51	177,000	3,900	2,600	54	140,000
Halifax	6,700	5,200	43	224,000	4,800	3,000	52	156,000
Harnett	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	6,800	5,700	58	332,000
Haywood	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Henderson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hertford	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Hoke	2,100	2,010	34	68,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Hyde	4,700	4,250	29	121,000	6,400	4,980	66	329,000
Iredell	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	8,600	6,400	57	365,000
Jackson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Johnston	6,200	5,600	38	215,000	8,200	5,200	48	251,000
Jones	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	3,700	3,500	57	201,000
Lee	500	480	50	24,200	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Lenoir	6,600	5,900	24	142,000	7,000	4,970	54	270,000
Lincoln	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	4,100	2,240	56	125,000
Mcdowell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Macon	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Madison	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Martin	4,600	3,550	35	123,000	4,800	2,900	49	142,000
Mecklenburg	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	600	430	58	25,000

WHEAT

Acres, Yield and Production

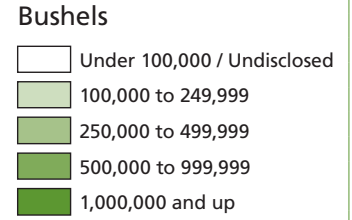
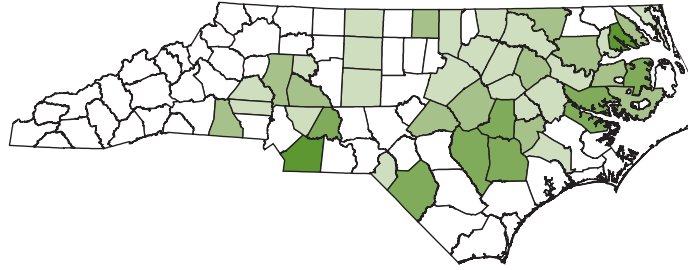
Counties	2016				2017			
	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Bushels</i>		<i>Acres</i>		<i>Bushels</i>	
Mitchell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Montgomery	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Moore	1,600	1,500	47	71,000	1,800	1,490	50	74,900
Nash	4,500	3,900	38	147,000	3,600	2,610	55	143,000
New Hanover	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Northampton	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	8,600	7,250	64	465,000
Onslow	1,100	960	22	21,500	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Orange	1,500	1,040	52	54,400	1,600	760	59	44,900
Pamlico	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Pasquotank	9,100	8,800	44	386,000	7,000	6,880	65	444,000
Pender	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Perquimans	12,500	12,000	56	673,000	15,000	14,500	70	1,014,000
Person	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	8,900	7,040	45	317,000
Pitt	5,000	3,800	24	91,200	4,800	3,740	54	200,000
Polk	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Randolph	3,800	2,420	53	127,000	4,300	3,470	54	186,000
Richmond	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Robeson	27,500	26,500	32	840,000	22,500	21,600	44	941,000
Rockingham	3,500	2,650	53	140,000	4,300	3,160	47	148,000
Rowan	11,500	10,000	57	567,000	8,600	7,000	64	447,000
Rutherford	800	670	45	30,100	*	*	*	*
Sampson	8,400	5,560	34	187,000	12,100	11,200	57	638,000
Scotland	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	4,700	4,490	35	159,000
Stanly	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	13,500	8,740	61	531,000
Stokes	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	1,000	630	41	26,000
Surry	3,100	2,800	61	170,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Swain	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transylvania	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Tyrrell	10,700	9,300	28	256,000	10,000	9,700	62	598,000
Union	38,600	36,000	50	1,815,000	49,600	48,700	55	2,660,000
Vance	2,000	1,900	51	96,700	2,100	1,700	55	93,500
Wake	2,800	2,230	29	65,500	3,000	2,720	45	122,000
Warren	2,000	1,730	50	87,000	2,500	2,000	63	126,000
Washington	8,300	6,200	20	125,000	6,100	5,900	64	378,000
Watauga	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wayne	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	19,000	16,100	49	795,000
Wilkes	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Wilson	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	5,800	2,300	60	138,000
Yadkin	4,000	3,680	59	216,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Yancey	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Counties	120,500	92,990	41	3,833,100	72,900	56,310	55	3,089,600
State Total	420,000	355,000	41	14,555,000	450,000	375,000	55	20,625,000

* Less than 500 Planted Acres. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

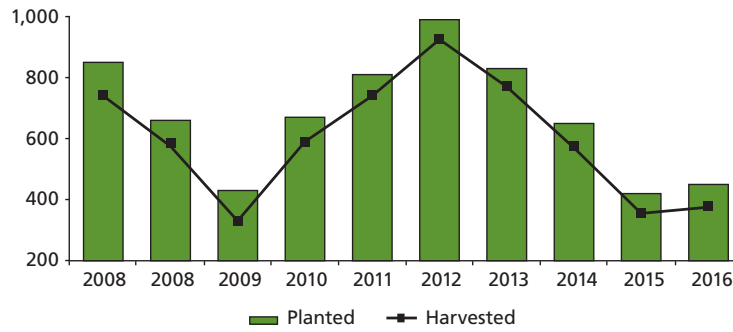
WHEAT 2017 Production

Leading Counties ¹	Bushels
Union	2,660,000
Perquimans	1,014,000
Robeson	941,000
Wayne	795,000
Sampson	638,000
Beaufort	637,000
Tyrrell	598,000
Stanly	531,000
Duplin	514,000
Cleveland	493,000

¹ Ranking of published counties only.



WHEAT Planted and Harvested (Thousand Acres)

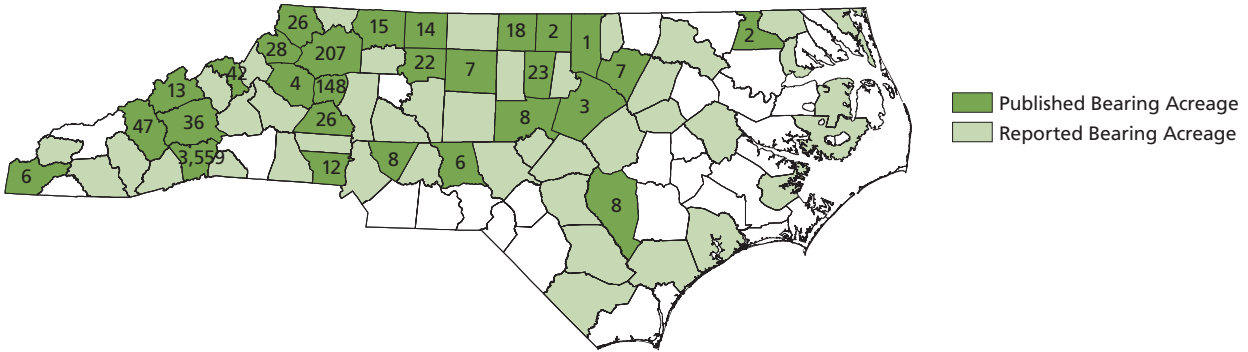


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2012 Census of Agriculture

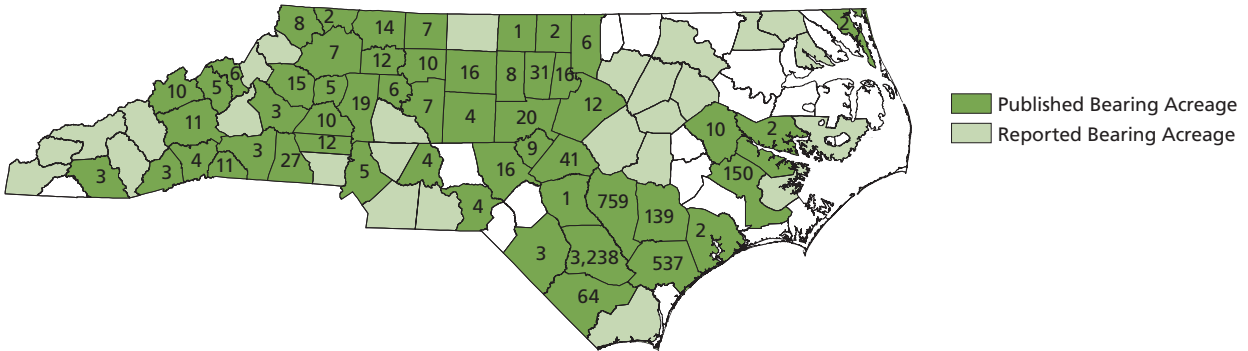
TOP APPLE COUNTIES

(Bearing and Non-Bearing Acres)



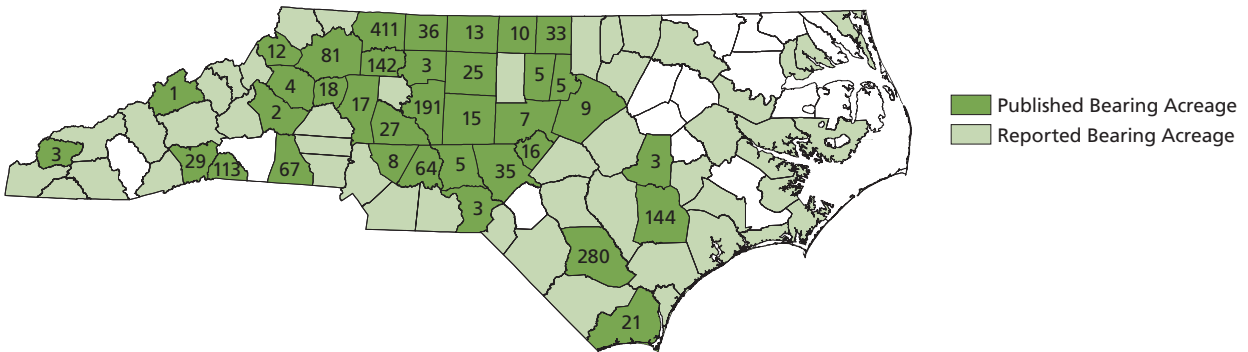
TOP BLUEBERRY COUNTIES

(Harvested Acres - Tame Blueberries)



TOP GRAPE COUNTIES

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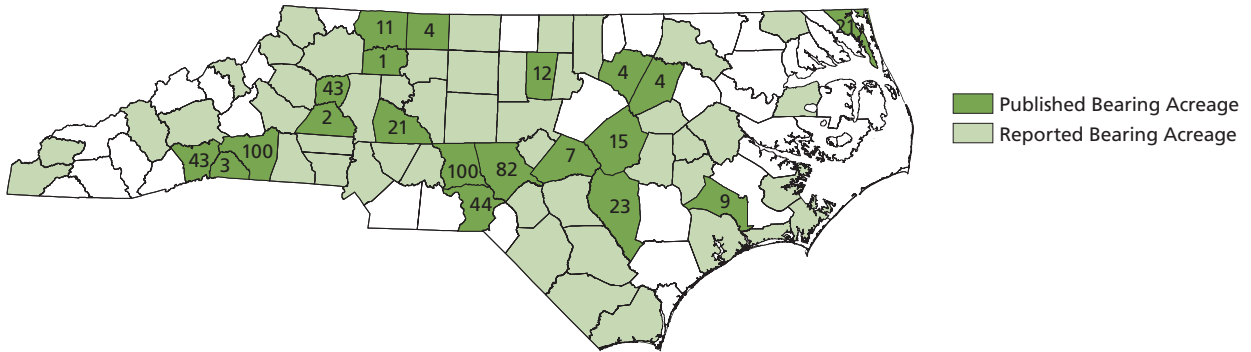


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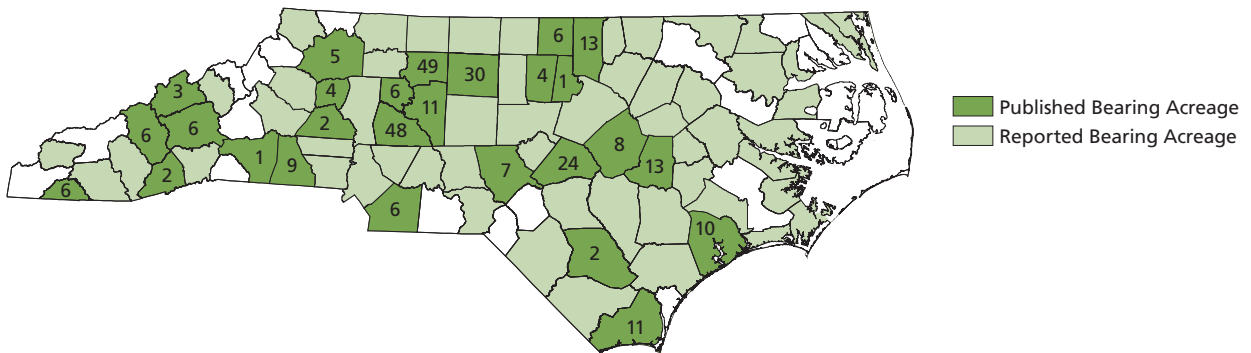
TOP PEACH COUNTIES

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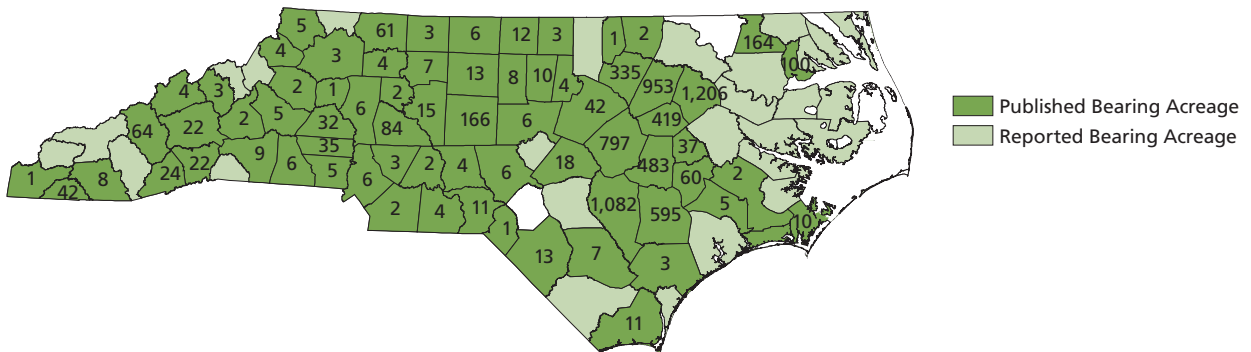
TOP STRAWBERRY COUNTIES

(Harvested Acres)



TOP CUCUMBER COUNTIES

(Harvested Acres - Fresh Market and Processing)

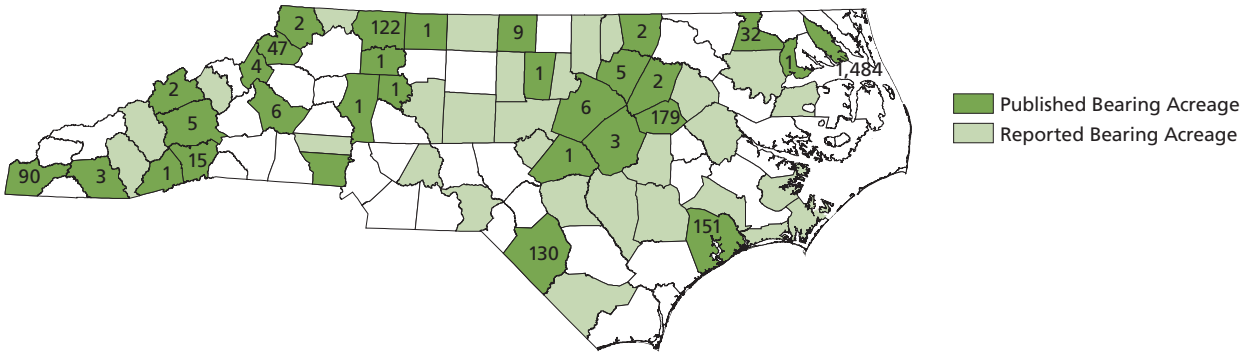


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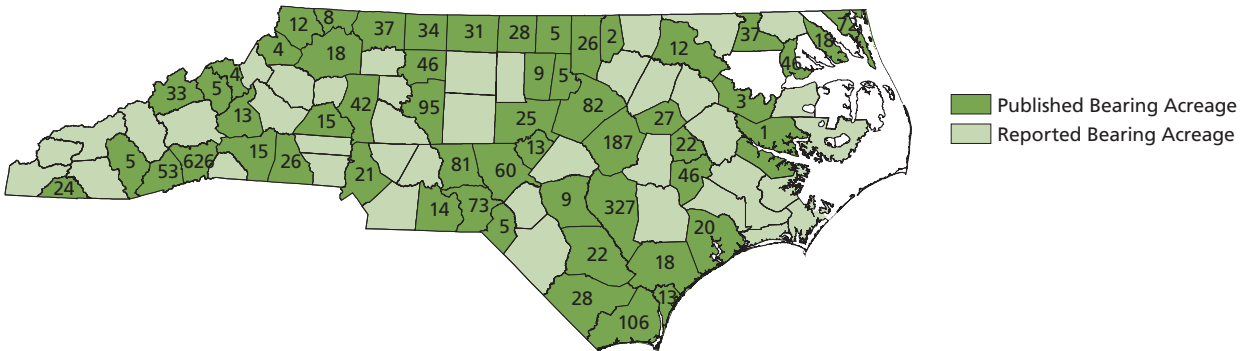
TOP HEAD CABBAGE COUNTIES

(Harvested Acres - Fresh Market and Processing)



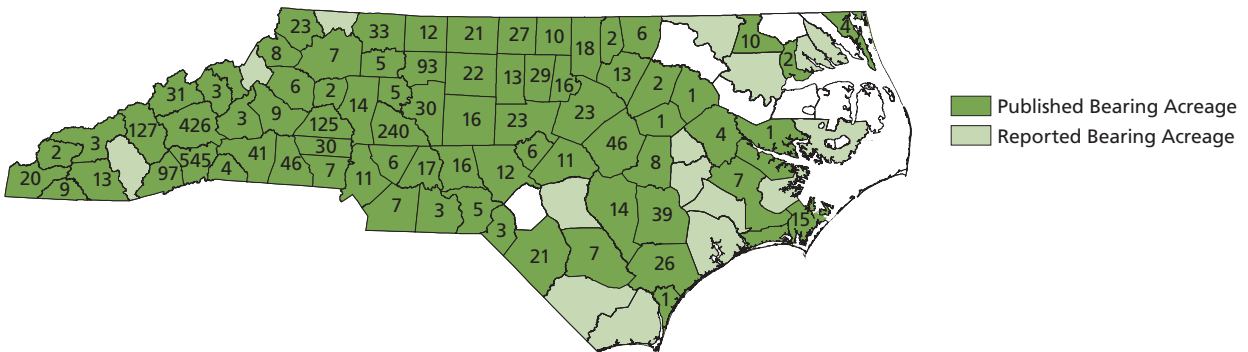
TOP SWEET CORN COUNTIES

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TOP TOMATO COUNTIES

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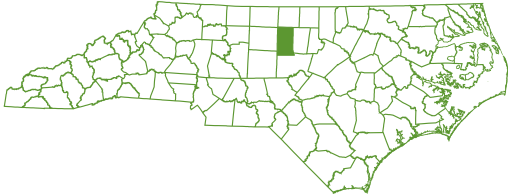


**COUNTY
SUMMARY**

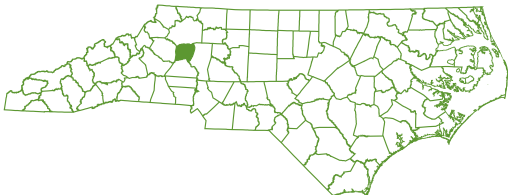
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Crop AND Livestock

CASH RECEIPTS BY COUNTY

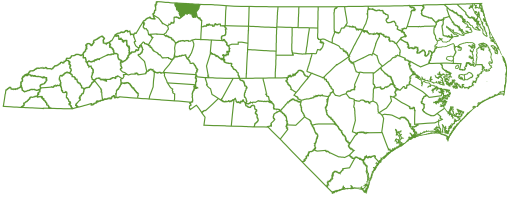
ALAMANCE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	271,353	Corn for Grain: Bu.	2,390	123	295,000	57
Number of Farms	732	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	83,551	Hay, Other: Tons	15,600	1.95	30,100	13
Average Farm Size, Acres	114	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	26,843	Soybeans: Bu.	4,710	42	198,000	60
Average Age of Farmers	59.7	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$393,941,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$44,251,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	1,020	2,090	2,130,000	38
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$46,705	Wheat: Bu.	900	55	49,400	63
	Livestock				Number	Rank
					690,000	54
					17,000	15
					7,100	13
					1,100	13
					*	*
					165,000	18
					*	*
	Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
					19,744,368	55
					14,532,767	66
					57,305	85
					34,334,440	68

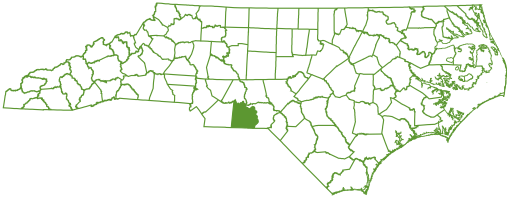
ALEXANDER COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	166,122	Corn for Grain: Bu.	660	132	87,100	75
Number of Farms	603	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	58,668	Hay, Other: Tons	8,800	2.35	20,800	29
Average Farm Size, Acres	97	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	19,005	Soybeans: Bu.	2,270	36	82,000	73
Average Age of Farmers	56.3	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$349,009,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$42,624,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$251,692	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Livestock				Number	Rank
					32,300,000	9
					23,500	6
					7,100	13
					1,500	4
					*	*
					920,000	5
					*	*
	Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
					181,493,791	9
					9,311,695	79
					95,659	80
					190,901,145	17

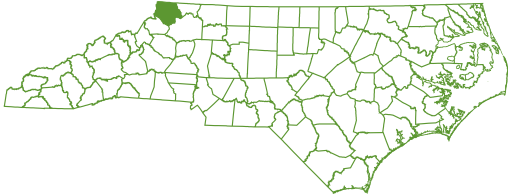
ALLEGHANY COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	150,398	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	567	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	90,926	Hay, Other: Tons	12,700	2.35	29,900	14
Average Farm Size, Acres	160	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	30,201	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	60.3	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$436,684,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$40,000,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$58,246	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		23,500	6	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		7,100	13	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		1,500	4	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		14,597,924	61	
Crops		19,720,068	52			
Government Payments		37,935	93			
Total		34,355,927	67			

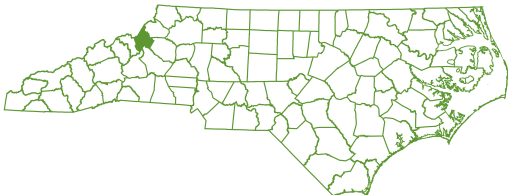
ANSON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	340,216	Corn for Grain: Bu.	8,440	119	1,004,000	38
Number of Farms	429	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	83,601	Hay, Other: Tons	5,300	2.30	12,200	47
Average Farm Size, Acres	195	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	24,035	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	59.8	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$311,435,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$41,719,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$359,385	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		29,600,000	10	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		11,000	28	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		4,600	31	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		52,000	25	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		315,000	13	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		1,100,000	9	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		179,522,527	10	
Crops		17,529,106	59			
Government Payments		873,859	41			
Total		197,925,492	14			

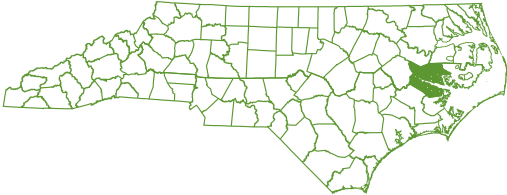
ASHE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	272,778	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	1,140	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	112,462	Hay, Other: Tons	9,400	2.00	18,800	33
Average Farm Size, Acres	99	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	27,700	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	59.2	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$639,614,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$62,510,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$42,362	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		19,500	10	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		6,300	19	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		100	32	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		2,900	49	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		9,470,048	70	
Crops		43,750,579	30			
Government Payments		50,738	88			
Total		53,271,365	58			

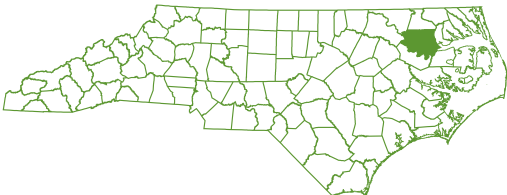
AVERY COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	158,108	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	483	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	28,224	Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	58	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	9,935	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	58.4	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$196,675,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$26,659,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$30,389	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		1,400	73	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		700	75	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		1,058,781	89	
Crops		18,341,730	56			
Government Payments		40,806	91			
Total		19,441,317	83			

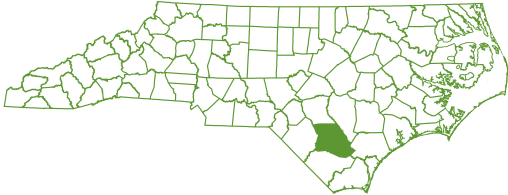
BEAUFORT COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	529,908	Corn for Grain: Bu.	42,500	165	7,011,000	2
Number of Farms	364	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	9,500	1,041	20,600	13
Total Land in Farms, Acres	148,286	Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	407	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	125,583	Soybeans: Bu.	70,600	46	3,268,000	1
Average Age of Farmers	59.6	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$453,089,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$79,425,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$244,377	Wheat: Bu.	10,300	62	637,000	6
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		1,200	77	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		700	75	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		41,000	29	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		26,877,578	47	
Crops		77,083,009	13			
Government Payments		4,732,211	12			
Total		108,692,798	35			

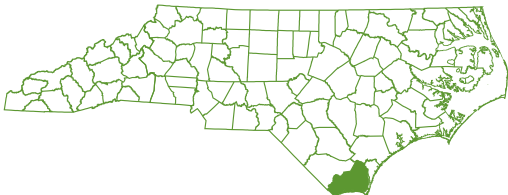
BERTIE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	447,601	Corn for Grain: Bu.	9,910	138	1,363,000	30
Number of Farms	325	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	19,200	1,025	41,000	4
Total Land in Farms, Acres	146,754	Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	452	Peanuts: Lbs.	8,800	4,350	38,280,000	2
Harvested Cropland, Acres	93,224	Soybeans: Bu.	34,900	45	1,561,000	15
Average Age of Farmers	56.4	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$396,719,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$71,255,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$558,098	Wheat: Bu.	8,100	58	470,000	13
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		33,400,000	8	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		800	86	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		500	85	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		154,444,938	13	
Crops		61,235,315	22			
Government Payments		7,934,801	2			
Total		223,615,054	11			

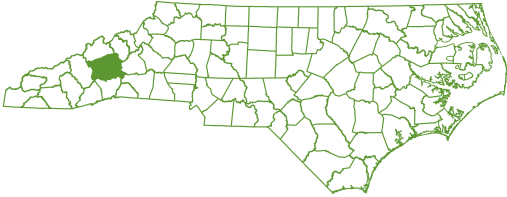
BLADEN COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	559,592	Corn for Grain: Bu.	21,000	138	2,900,000	15
Number of Farms	492	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	117,323	Hay, Other: Tons	4,100	3.00	12,200	47
Average Farm Size, Acres	238	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	46,976	Soybeans: Bu.	18,300	32	578,000	41
Average Age of Farmers	58.7	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$386,160,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$52,627,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$475,886	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		11,500,000	19	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		3,000	56	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		720,000	3	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		2,000,000	5	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		286,662,346	6	
Crops		73,881,196	14			
Government Payments		4,090,246	15			
Total		364,633,788	6			

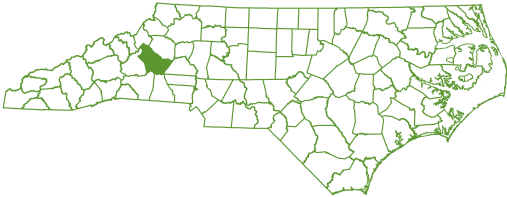
BRUNSWICK COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	542,033	Corn for Grain: Bu.	7,490	140	1,050,000	37
Number of Farms	254	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	45,442	Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	179	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	24,761	Soybeans: Bu.	7,410	35	257,000	55
Average Age of Farmers	58.9	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$195,489,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$23,493,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$181,893	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		1,800	67	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		80,000	18	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		1,500	60	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		22,326,209	52	
Crops		25,293,556	46			
Government Payments		283,126	55			
Total		47,902,891	61			


BUNCOMBE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	419,779	Corn for Grain: Bu.	130	159	20,700	92
Number of Farms	1,060	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	71,480	Hay, Other: Tons	9,400	2.65	25,000	21
Average Farm Size, Acres	67	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	15,247	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	60.4	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$614,826,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$51,698,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$48,756	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2017)			6,400	60
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			14,500	17
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			7,100	13
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			800	17
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			9,300	45
		Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2017			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			10,125,720	68
Crops			44,041,981	29		
Government Payments			352,959	52		
Total			54,520,660	57		

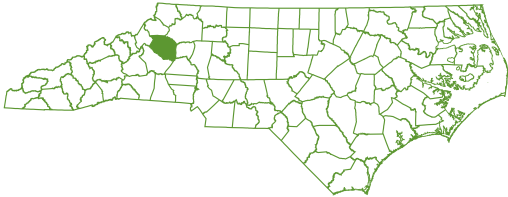
BURKE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	324,276	Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,250	112	140,000	69
Number of Farms	486	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	34,387	Hay, Other: Tons	5,900	2.05	12,000	49
Average Farm Size, Acres	71	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	11,599	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	57.4	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$182,877,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$24,635,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$86,421	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2017)			5,500,000	34
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			4,100	50
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			2,700	48
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			160,000	20
		Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2017			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			30,962,409	45
Crops			11,890,268	74		
Government Payments			117,018	79		
Total			42,969,695	63		

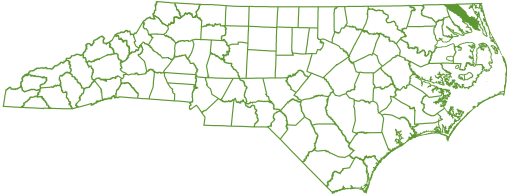
CABARRUS COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	231,524	Corn for Grain: Bu.	4,190	141	592,000	49
Number of Farms	589	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	66,241	Hay, Other: Tons	13,500	1.95	26,500	20
Average Farm Size, Acres	112	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	28,005	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	59.5	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$485,206,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$38,509,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$82,670	Wheat: Bu.	3,100	53	165,000	38
	Livestock				Number	Rank
	Broilers Produced (2017)				3,200,000	41
	Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)				12,000	25
	Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)				6,800	18
	Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)				1,200	11
	Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)				*	*
	Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)				*	*
	Turkeys Raised (2017)				*	*
	Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
	Livestock, Dairy and Poultry				38,016,089	43
	Crops				12,083,994	72
	Government Payments				258,345	57
	Total				50,358,428	60

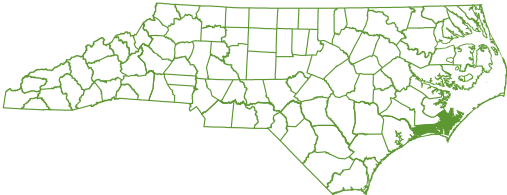
CALDWELL COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	301,819	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	411	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	32,057	Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	78	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	10,367	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	59.5	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$176,987,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$18,769,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$38,396	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Livestock				Number	Rank
	Broilers Produced (2017)				1,300,000	51
	Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)				5,300	46
	Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)				3,100	46
	Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)				*	*
	Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)				*	*
	Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)				*	*
	Turkeys Raised (2017)				*	*
	Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
	Livestock, Dairy and Poultry				10,396,490	67
	Crops				10,143,939	76
	Government Payments				28,210	96
	Total				20,568,639	82

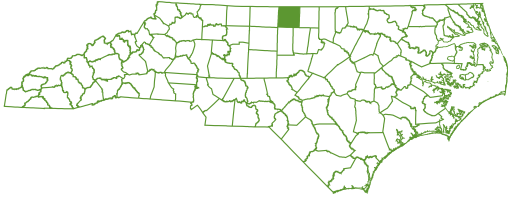
CAMDEN COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	153,958	Corn for Grain: Bu.	19,300	183	3,538,000	10
Number of Farms	60	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	49,310	Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	822	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	46,537	Soybeans: Bu.	28,800	44	1,258,000	22
Average Age of Farmers	56.6	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$140,074,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$27,045,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$550,877	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		100	97	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		100	94	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		1,622,199	88	
Crops		39,701,235	32			
Government Payments		1,887,090	27			
Total		43,210,524	62			

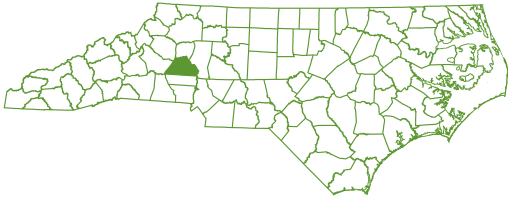
CARTERET COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	323,655	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	125	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	62,836	Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	503	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	44,851	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	60.6	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$206,634,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$11,503,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$168,182	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		300	91	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		200	91	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		1,400	61	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		935,889	90	
Crops		22,347,764	49			
Government Payments		235,179	60			
Total		23,518,832	79			

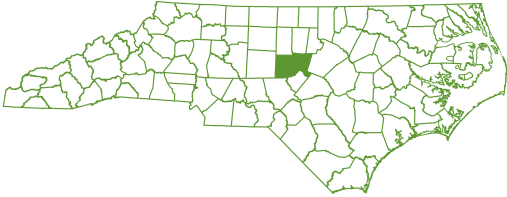
CASWELL COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank	
Total Acres in County	271,679	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*	
Number of Farms	543	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*	
Total Land in Farms, Acres	97,060	Hay, Other: Tons	9,600	1.90	18,100	34	
Average Farm Size, Acres	179	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
Harvested Cropland, Acres	15,152	Soybeans: Bu.	3,000	40	121,000	67	
Average Age of Farmers	59.9	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*	
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$279,275,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$34,948,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	2,490	2,235	5,570,000	23	
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$57,546	Wheat: Bu.	680	57	38,900	66	
	Livestock				Number	Rank	
			Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
			Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			8,600	34
			Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
			Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
			Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
			Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			285,000	17
			Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
	Cash Receipts - 2017					Dollars	Rank
			Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			13,607,430	63
			Crops			16,021,762	64
			Government Payments			87,829	81
			Total			29,717,021	70

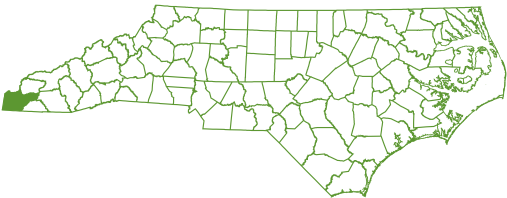
CATAWBA COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank	
Total Acres in County	255,179	Corn for Grain: Bu.	3,150	157	495,000	50	
Number of Farms	698	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*	
Total Land in Farms, Acres	67,098	Hay, Other: Tons	13,000	1.85	24,300	22	
Average Farm Size, Acres	96	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
Harvested Cropland, Acres	26,641	Soybeans: Bu.	8,680	40	350,000	52	
Average Age of Farmers	59.7	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*	
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$362,338,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$41,292,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$85,948	Wheat: Bu.	3,680	64	236,000	27	
	Livestock				Number	Rank	
			Broilers Produced (2017)	11,500,000	19	11,500,000	19
			Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)	13,000	21	13,000	21
			Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)	7,400	12	7,400	12
			Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)	400	24	400	24
			Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)	*	*	*	*
			Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)	80,000	29	80,000	29
			Turkeys Raised (2017)	*	*	*	*
	Cash Receipts - 2017					Dollars	Rank
			Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			60,774,780	33
			Crops			18,428,617	55
			Government Payments			251,537	58
			Total			79,454,934	44

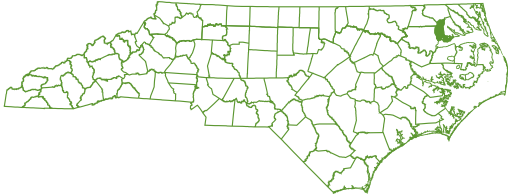
CHATHAM COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	436,696	Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,980	131	259,000	58
Number of Farms	1,138	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	111,778	Hay, Other: Tons	15,400	2.15	33,400	11
Average Farm Size, Acres	98	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	21,708	Soybeans: Bu.	2,680	41	111,000	70
Average Age of Farmers	58.6	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$554,504,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$53,493,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$131,931	Wheat: Bu.	950	52	49,500	62
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2017)			20,200,000	16
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			37,500	4
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			14,900	2
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,200	11
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			5,000	44
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			310,000	14
		Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2017			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			119,911,359	21
Crops			9,118,621	81		
Government Payments			48,260	89		
Total			129,078,240	31		

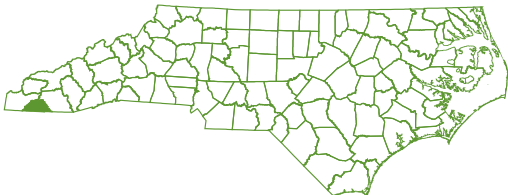
CHEROKEE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	291,367	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	255	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	21,453	Hay, Other: Tons	4,850	2.90	14,000	40
Average Farm Size, Acres	84	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	6,913	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	59.1	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$123,261,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$15,160,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$83,901	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			4,500	49
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			2,600	49
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
		Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2017			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			22,977,561	51
Crops			9,772,295	77		
Government Payments			314,715	54		
Total			33,064,571	69		

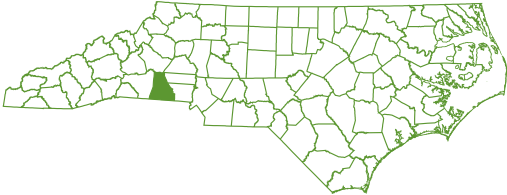
CHOWAN COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	110,460	Corn for Grain: Bu.	4,700	144	678,000	46
Number of Farms	141	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	8,830	1,120	20,600	13
Total Land in Farms, Acres	58,146	Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	412	Peanuts: Lbs.	4,900	4,898	24,000,000	8
Harvested Cropland, Acres	46,299	Soybeans: Bu.	14,800	44	656,000	38
Average Age of Farmers	55.5	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$184,290,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$48,437,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$363,385	Wheat: Bu.	3,410	63	214,000	31
	Livestock				Number	Rank
					2,700,000	44
					1,200	77
					*	*
					*	*
					4,800	45
					*	*
					*	*
	Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
					13,308,148	65
					35,195,791	38
					2,317,114	25
					50,821,053	59

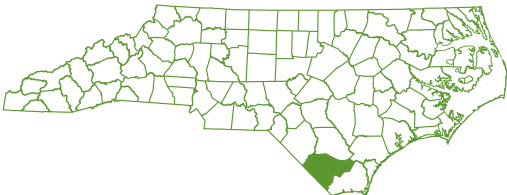
CLAY COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	137,425	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	154	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	11,752	Hay, Other: Tons	2,600	2.15	5,600	65
Average Farm Size, Acres	76	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	4,022	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	58.5	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$58,637,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$5,985,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	*	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Livestock				Number	Rank
					*	*
					1,600	70
					*	*
					*	*
					*	*
					*	*
					*	*
	Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
					900,480	91
					2,280,862	96
					197,045	68
					3,378,387	97

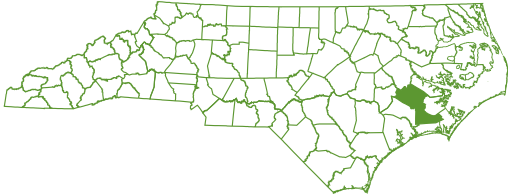
CLEVELAND COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	297,120	Corn for Grain: Bu.	3,390	138	469,000	51
Number of Farms	1,036	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	116,651	Hay, Other: Tons	13,300	2.10	27,900	18
Average Farm Size, Acres	113	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	40,852	Soybeans: Bu.	16,400	40	656,000	38
Average Age of Farmers	59.9	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$480,113,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$60,468,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$106,609	Wheat: Bu.	8,780	56	493,000	11
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2017)			23,000,000	15
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			19,500	10
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			10,200	9
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			600	20
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			200	69
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
		Turkeys Raised (2017)			385,000	14
		Cash Receipts - 2017			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			120,283,550	20
Crops			16,264,838	63		
Government Payments			1,079,020	39		
Total			137,627,408	29		

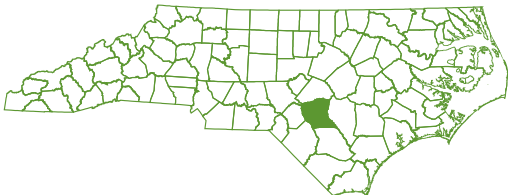
COLUMBUS COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	599,880	Corn for Grain: Bu.	35,000	134	4,686,000	6
Number of Farms	731	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	159,227	Hay, Other: Tons	3,900	2.60	10,100	53
Average Farm Size, Acres	218	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	107,970	Soybeans: Bu.	52,800	33	1,733,000	14
Average Age of Farmers	58	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$482,755,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$96,510,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$222,133	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2017)			3,100,000	42
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			8,600	34
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			235,000	11
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			2,500	51
		Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2017			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			79,833,608	29
Crops			65,332,384	17		
Government Payments			5,426,935	10		
Total			150,592,927	26		

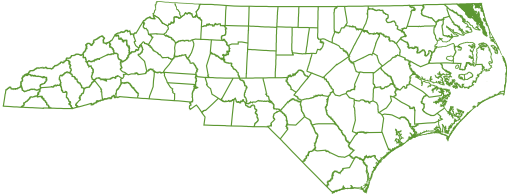
CRAVEN COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	453,695	Corn for Grain: Bu.	18,800	146	2,735,000	16
Number of Farms	256	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	70,632	Hay, Other: Tons	1,500	3.05	4,610	71
Average Farm Size, Acres	276	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	49,222	Soybeans: Bu.	23,900	38	910,000	28
Average Age of Farmers	60.5	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$218,543,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$38,414,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$183,665	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		1,000	83	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		700	75	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		72,000	20	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		20,603,795	54	
Crops		33,178,437	40			
Government Payments		1,884,865	28			
Total		55,667,097	56			

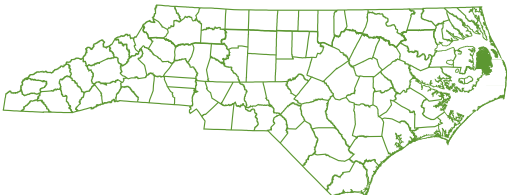
CUMBERLAND COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	417,211	Corn for Grain: Bu.	9,180	138	1,270,000	34
Number of Farms	389	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	5,030	805	8,440	27
Total Land in Farms, Acres	82,317	Hay, Other: Tons	4,600	2.50	11,500	50
Average Farm Size, Acres	212	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	43,649	Soybeans: Bu.	19,800	32	628,000	40
Average Age of Farmers	59.5	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$256,910,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$46,353,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	3,300	2,115	6,980,000	17
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$217,263	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		2,200,000	47	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		2,800	57	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		2,000	54	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		100,000	16	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		620,000	10	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		52,058,724	37	
Crops		39,236,484	33			
Government Payments		1,417,839	35			
Total		92,713,047	40			

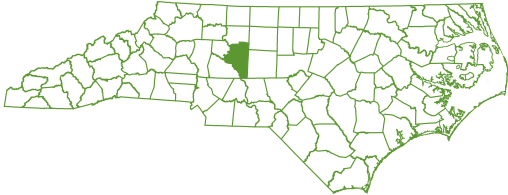
CURRITUCK COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	167,608	Corn for Grain: Bu.	10,300	162	1,664,000	24
Number of Farms	82	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	35,356	Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	431	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	31,292	Soybeans: Bu.	18,000	38	683,000	36
Average Age of Farmers	56.6	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$144,521,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$20,028,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$223,466	Wheat: Bu.	4,380	50	220,000	30
	Livestock				Number	Rank
	Broilers Produced (2017)				*	*
	Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)				200	95
	Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)				*	*
	Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)				*	*
	Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)				*	*
	Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)				*	*
	Turkeys Raised (2017)				*	*
	Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
	Livestock, Dairy and Poultry				106,727	99
	Crops				14,696,064	65
	Government Payments				1,356,351	36
	Total				16,159,142	85

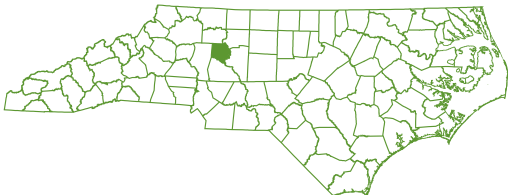
DARE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	245,424	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	9	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	*	Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	*	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	*	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	54	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$13,980,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$1,432,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$130,731	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Livestock				Number	Rank
	Broilers Produced (2017)				*	*
	Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)				*	*
	Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)				*	*
	Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)				*	*
	Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)				*	*
	Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)				*	*
	Turkeys Raised (2017)				*	*
	Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
	Livestock, Dairy and Poultry				52,366	100
	Crops				1,088,001	98
	Government Payments				217,521	64
	Total				1,357,888	99

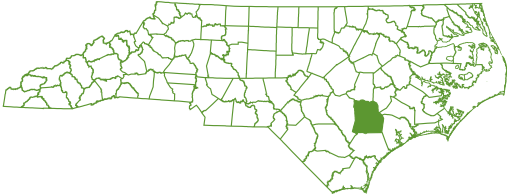
DAVIDSON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank	
Total Acres in County	353,417	Corn for Grain: Bu.	5,270	122	643,000	47	
Number of Farms	1,062	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*	
Total Land in Farms, Acres	87,310	Hay, Other: Tons	15,600	2.20	34,200	9	
Average Farm Size, Acres	82	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
Harvested Cropland, Acres	36,640	Soybeans: Bu.	11,100	36	395,000	47	
Average Age of Farmers	58.8	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*	
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$535,905,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$60,081,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	450	1,700	765,000	46	
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$43,889	Wheat: Bu.	1,330	56	73,900	59	
	Livestock				Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)			6,200,000	33	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			12,000	25	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			5,500	24	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,400	8	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			110,000	24	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			40,896,697	42	
		Crops			18,167,724	58	
		Government Payments			260,651	56	
		Total			59,325,072	52	

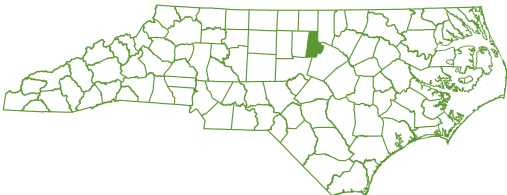
DAVIE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank	
Total Acres in County	168,993	Corn for Grain: Bu.	4,950	143	707,000	44	
Number of Farms	640	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*	
Total Land in Farms, Acres	59,618	Hay, Other: Tons	9,300	2.05	19,100	32	
Average Farm Size, Acres	93	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
Harvested Cropland, Acres	27,615	Soybeans: Bu.	9,150	42	383,000	50	
Average Age of Farmers	59.6	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*	
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$368,302,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$32,290,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$39,608	Wheat: Bu.	2,600	57	148,000	43	
	Livestock				Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			10,000	29	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			5,300	25	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			500	22	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			110,000	24	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			13,697,097	62	
		Crops			9,216,952	80	
		Government Payments			347,644	53	
		Total			23,261,693	80	

DUPLIN COUNTY

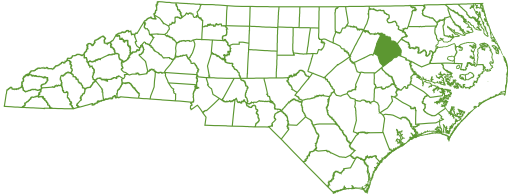
Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	521,886	Corn for Grain: Bu.	41,800	127	5,299,000	4
Number of Farms	940	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	5,040	1,038	10,900	23
Total Land in Farms, Acres	230,925	Hay, Other: Tons	23,500	3.40	80,000	1
Average Farm Size, Acres	246	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	147,210	Soybeans: Bu.	52,800	36	1,887,000	10
Average Age of Farmers	56.5	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	3,400	230	790,000	9
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$941,234,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$149,976,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	2,840	1,605	4,560,000	26
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$1,028,981	Wheat: Bu.	11,600	44	514,000	10
	Livestock				Number	Rank
					69,800,000	1
					22,000	9
					13,800	5
					100	32
					2,000,000	1
					460,000	9
					5,000,000	2
	Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
					957,081,658	1
					99,989,298	7
					6,048,734	7
					1,063,119,690	2

DURHAM COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	183,022	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	232	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	20,854	Hay, Other: Tons	2,500	1.75	4,400	74
Average Farm Size, Acres	90	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	4,976	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	60.6	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$178,892,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$11,683,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$48,607	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Livestock				Number	Rank
					*	*
					2,100	63
					1,000	67
					100	32
					*	*
					2,500	51
					*	*
	Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
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					7,095,337	86
					21,010	99
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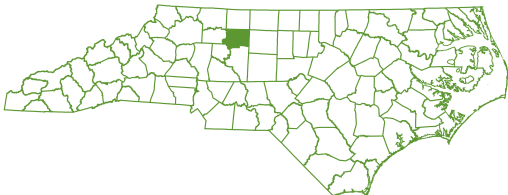
EDGECOMBE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	323,276	Corn for Grain: Bu.	14,400	122	1,757,000	23
Number of Farms	272	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	16,100	972	32,600	5
Total Land in Farms, Acres	126,635	Hay, Other: Tons	1,850	3.40	6,300	61
Average Farm Size, Acres	466	Peanuts: Lbs.	7,000	4,326	30,280,000	5
Harvested Cropland, Acres	87,060	Soybeans: Bu.	48,400	40	1,917,000	9
Average Age of Farmers	60.2	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	8,470	210	1,796,000	5
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$333,500,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$72,418,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	6,370	2,270	14,470,000	9
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$464,706	Wheat: Bu.	9,240	51	474,000	12
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2017)			6,950,000	31
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			2,000	65
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,400	60
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			110,000	14
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
		Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2017			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			60,654,441	34
		Crops			91,531,784	8
		Government Payments			7,418,329	4
		Total			159,604,554	24

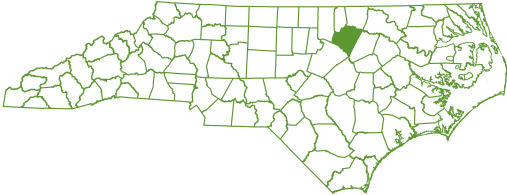


FORSYTH COUNTY

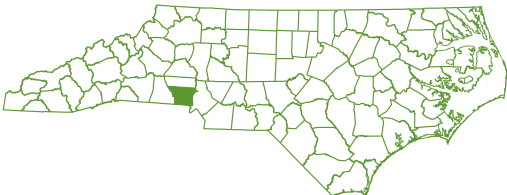
Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	261,220	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	662	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	40,467	Hay, Other: Tons	7,800	1.90	14,900	39
Average Farm Size, Acres	61	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	17,219	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	61.9	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$336,233,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$30,803,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$32,242	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			3,700	53
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			2,400	50
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			2,800	50
		Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2017			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			3,692,969	83
		Crops			9,464,426	78
		Government Payments			415,802	50
		Total			13,573,197	87



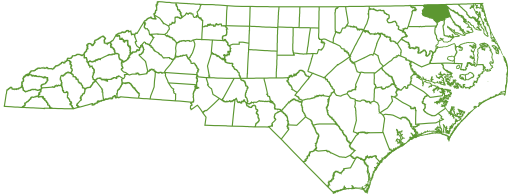
FRANKLIN COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	314,701	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	542	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	116,889	Hay, Other: Tons	13,400	1.75	23,300	25
Average Farm Size, Acres	216	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	50,291	Soybeans: Bu.	17,300	33	574,000	42
Average Age of Farmers	58.7	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$499,189,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$59,067,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	4,410	2,420	10,670,000	13
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$128,671	Wheat: Bu.	4,750	49	232,000	29
	Livestock				Number	Rank
	Broilers Produced (2017)				1,750,000	50
	Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)				15,500	16
	Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)				6,100	20
	Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)				*	*
	Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)				29,000	33
	Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)				*	*
	Turkeys Raised (2017)				*	*
	Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
	Livestock, Dairy and Poultry				24,528,306	49
	Crops				49,141,048	26
	Government Payments				445,113	49
	Total				74,114,467	46

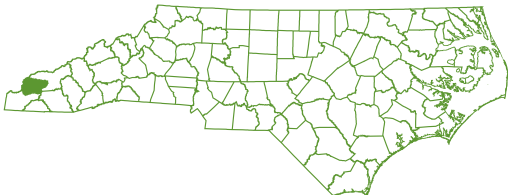
GASTON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	227,856	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	520	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	41,923	Hay, Other: Tons	7,900	1.95	15,400	38
Average Farm Size, Acres	81	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	12,302	Soybeans: Bu.	3,480	43	150,000	62
Average Age of Farmers	60.3	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$254,148,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$21,414,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$33,581	Wheat: Bu.	1,480	54	80,400	56
	Livestock				Number	Rank
	Broilers Produced (2017)				2,250,000	46
	Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)				7,400	40
	Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)				3,200	45
	Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)				700	18
	Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)				400	60
	Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)				19,500	43
	Turkeys Raised (2017)				*	*
	Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
	Livestock, Dairy and Poultry				16,457,675	59
	Crops				4,806,149	91
	Government Payments				160,764	76
	Total				21,424,588	81

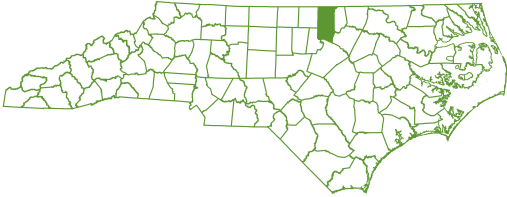
GATES COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	217,884	Corn for Grain: Bu.	4,800	142	680,000	45
Number of Farms	182	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	8,210	1,029	17,600	17
Total Land in Farms, Acres	63,291	Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	348	Peanuts: Lbs.	3,550	4,873	17,300,000	13
Harvested Cropland, Acres	44,032	Soybeans: Bu.	24,000	45	1,076,000	24
Average Age of Farmers	58.3	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$220,266,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$27,831,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$289,969	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Livestock				Number	Rank
	Broilers Produced (2017)				8,200,000	29
	Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)				800	86
	Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)				400	88
	Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)				*	*
	Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)				23,000	35
	Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)				*	*
	Turkeys Raised (2017)				*	*
	Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
	Livestock, Dairy and Poultry				41,914,915	41
	Crops				21,844,212	51
	Government Payments				4,304,528	13
	Total				68,063,655	48

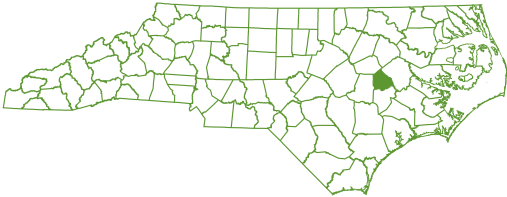
GRAHAM COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	186,915	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	107	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	6,837	Hay, Other: Tons	900	2.00	1,800	82
Average Farm Size, Acres	64	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	1,134	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	60.8	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$41,199,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$5,968,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	*	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Livestock				Number	Rank
	Broilers Produced (2017)				*	*
	Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)				900	84
	Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)				*	*
	Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)				*	*
	Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)				*	*
	Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)				*	*
	Turkeys Raised (2017)				*	*
	Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
	Livestock, Dairy and Poultry				2,926,860	84
	Crops				690,501	99
	Government Payments				46,674	90
	Total				3,664,035	96

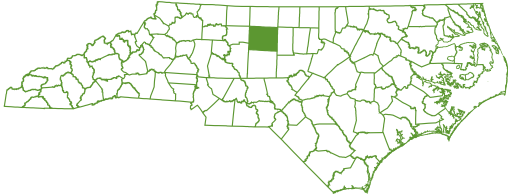
GRANVILLE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	339,838	Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,310	103	135,000	70
Number of Farms	589	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	100,822	Hay, Other: Tons	11,400	1.75	20,100	31
Average Farm Size, Acres	171	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	19,690	Soybeans: Bu.	4,110	28	114,000	69
Average Age of Farmers	61.1	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$414,169,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$29,559,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	3,010	2,175	6,550,000	20
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$42,124	Wheat: Bu.	3,310	51	168,000	37
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		7,100	43	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		3,600	43	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		500	22	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		1,000	54	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		1,400	61	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		5,099,113	80	
Crops		19,088,735	53			
Government Payments		119,677	78			
Total		24,307,525	78			

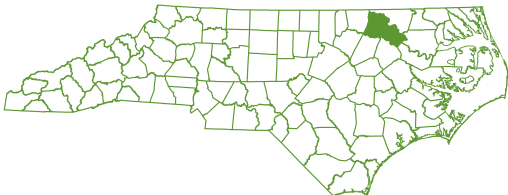
GREENE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	170,201	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	260	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	6,450	900	12,100	22
Total Land in Farms, Acres	101,189	Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	389	Peanuts: Lbs.	4,050	3,889	15,750,000	14
Harvested Cropland, Acres	66,845	Soybeans: Bu.	32,200	39	1,269,000	21
Average Age of Farmers	58.4	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$394,626,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$43,506,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	7,780	2,190	17,020,000	6
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$722,186	Wheat: Bu.	4,500	55	247,000	26
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		3,300,000	40	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		1,400	73	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		1,000	67	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		340,000	6	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		1,800,000	7	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		146,146,390	14	
Crops		90,737,452	10			
Government Payments		2,733,627	23			
Total		239,617,469	9			

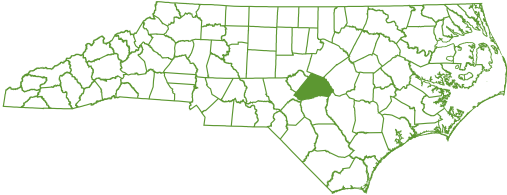
GUILFORD COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	413,565	Corn for Grain: Bu.	2,740	130	355,000	55
Number of Farms	962	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	90,750	Hay, Other: Tons	14,100	2.05	28,800	16
Average Farm Size, Acres	94	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	36,234	Soybeans: Bu.	10,300	39	401,000	46
Average Age of Farmers	60.7	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$561,274,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$61,566,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	2,030	1,805	3,660,000	31
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$57,020	Wheat: Bu.	2,600	54	140,000	47
	Livestock				Number	Rank
					*	*
					14,000	19
					5,600	23
					1,500	4
					4,000	47
					355,000	11
					*	*
	Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
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					200,370	67
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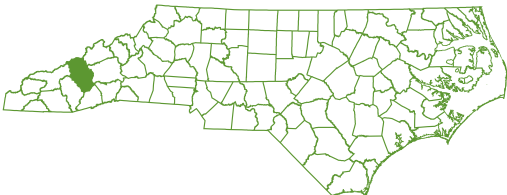
HALIFAX COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	463,414	Corn for Grain: Bu.	7,130	112	795,000	41
Number of Farms	341	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	44,600	884	82,100	2
Total Land in Farms, Acres	195,896	Hay, Other: Tons	2,200	2.60	5,700	64
Average Farm Size, Acres	574	Peanuts: Lbs.	8,400	4,135	34,730,000	3
Harvested Cropland, Acres	113,130	Soybeans: Bu.	35,300	42	1,484,000	18
Average Age of Farmers	59.7	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$464,442,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$73,873,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	3,380	2,350	7,940,000	15
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$314,730	Wheat: Bu.	3,000	52	156,000	41
	Livestock				Number	Rank
					*	*
					10,000	29
					*	*
					*	*
					52,000	25
					*	*
					*	*
	Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
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					8,029,719	1
					98,515,935	37

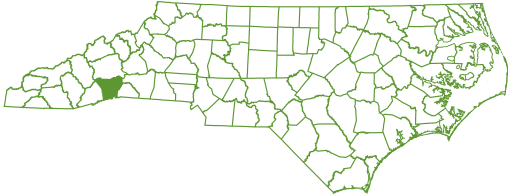
HARNETT COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	380,757	Corn for Grain: Bu.	4,810	131	629,000	48
Number of Farms	797	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	5,890	659	8,090	29
Total Land in Farms, Acres	119,775	Hay, Other: Tons	7,100	3.10	21,900	27
Average Farm Size, Acres	150	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	71,179	Soybeans: Bu.	28,700	32	916,000	26
Average Age of Farmers	58.1	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$640,679,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$75,911,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	7,140	2,200	15,700,000	7
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$200,882	Wheat: Bu.	5,700	58	332,000	20
	Livestock				Number	Rank
					25,600,000	13
					7,000	44
					4,100	36
					*	*
					70,000	21
					1,600	58
					*	*
	Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
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					62,000,107	20
					1,837,168	30
					197,978,877	13

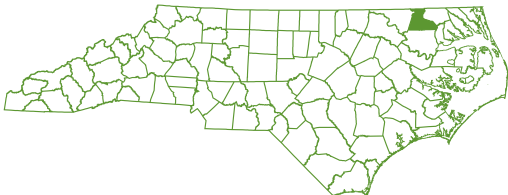
HAYWOOD COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	354,344	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	597	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	48,975	Hay, Other: Tons	5,900	2.70	15,900	37
Average Farm Size, Acres	82	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	8,976	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	60.6	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$310,193,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$23,558,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$24,565	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Livestock				Number	Rank
					*	*
					10,000	29
					4,900	27
					1,100	13
					*	*
					1,600	58
					*	*
	Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
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					7,155,103	85
					511,738	47
					17,443,915	84

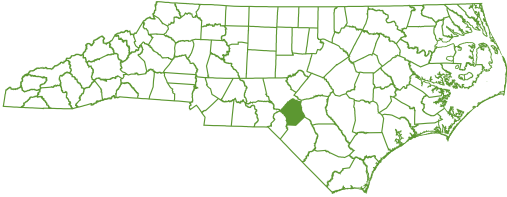
HENDERSON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	238,691	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	468	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	35,752	Hay, Other: Tons	5,100	2.45	12,500	46
Average Farm Size, Acres	76	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	16,365	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	58.5	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$279,110,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$31,758,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$119,779	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		1,400	67	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		5,100	47	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		1,500	58	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		1,500	4	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		1,900	55	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		8,401,025	73	
Crops		64,993,213	18			
Government Payments		519,602	46			
Total		73,913,840	47			

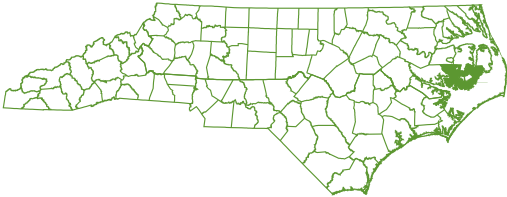
HERTFORD COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	226,028	Corn for Grain: Bu.	8,900	147	1,304,000	33
Number of Farms	162	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	10,900	1,154	26,200	6
Total Land in Farms, Acres	83,042	Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	513	Peanuts: Lbs.	4,850	4,915	23,840,000	9
Harvested Cropland, Acres	50,398	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	56.2	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$198,711,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$37,543,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$736,447	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		10,900,000	23	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		300	91	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		200	91	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		59,610,093	36	
Crops		38,363,606	35			
Government Payments		3,811,458	16			
Total		101,785,157	36			

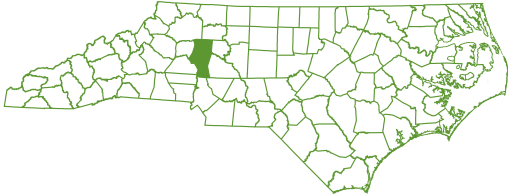
HOKE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	250,076	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	202	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	58,588	Hay, Other: Tons	2,600	2.25	5,900	63
Average Farm Size, Acres	290	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	34,804	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	59.5	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$187,689,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$22,849,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$386,063	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Livestock				Number	Rank
	Broilers Produced (2017)				5,500,000	34
	Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)				1,200	77
	Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)				*	*
	Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)				*	*
	Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)				75,000	19
	Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)				*	*
	Turkeys Raised (2017)				205,000	18
	Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
	Livestock, Dairy and Poultry				49,959,746	40
	Crops				11,144,983	75
	Government Payments				675,398	44
	Total				61,780,127	50

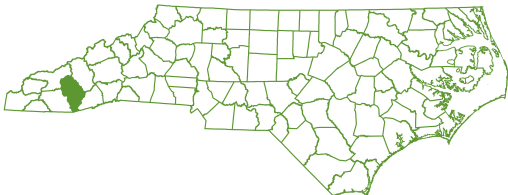
HYDE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	392,146	Corn for Grain: Bu.	33,700	168	5,663,000	3
Number of Farms	158	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	8,600	1,239	22,200	11
Total Land in Farms, Acres	107,559	Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	681	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	73,635	Soybeans: Bu.	35,500	52	1,848,000	12
Average Age of Farmers	60.7	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$264,567,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$52,760,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$652,577	Wheat: Bu.	4,980	66	329,000	21
	Livestock				Number	Rank
	Broilers Produced (2017)				*	*
	Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)				*	*
	Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)				*	*
	Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)				*	*
	Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)				*	*
	Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)				*	*
	Turkeys Raised (2017)				*	*
	Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
	Livestock, Dairy and Poultry				103,610,735	26
	Crops				61,774,122	21
	Government Payments				3,323,385	19
	Total				168,708,242	22

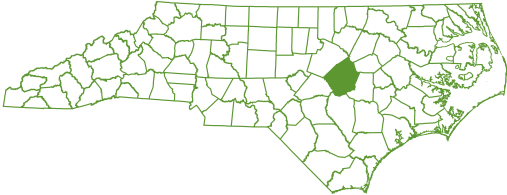
IREDELL COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	367,488	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	1,203	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	152,385	Hay, Other: Tons	24,600	2.05	50,600	4
Average Farm Size, Acres	127	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	70,383	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	59.2	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$916,502,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$89,154,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$118,328	Wheat: Bu.	6,400	57	365,000	19
	Livestock				Number	Rank
	Broilers Produced (2017)				1,950,000	49
	Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)				48,000	1
	Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)				13,000	6
	Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)				13,000	1
	Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)				*	*
	Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)				1,150,000	3
	Turkeys Raised (2017)				*	*
	Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
	Livestock, Dairy and Poultry				114,910,637	23
	Crops				28,658,387	43
	Government Payments				1,344,132	37
	Total				144,913,156	27

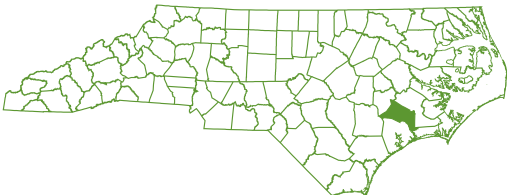
JACKSON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	314,055	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	245	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	16,201	Hay, Other: Tons	2,400	2.50	6,000	62
Average Farm Size, Acres	66	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	4,813	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	60.1	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$156,436,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$12,543,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$36,363	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Livestock				Number	Rank
	Broilers Produced (2017)				3,100	62
	Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)				1,600	70
	Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)				*	*
	Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)				*	*
	Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)				*	*
	Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)				1,300	63
	Turkeys Raised (2017)				*	*
	Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
	Livestock, Dairy and Poultry				787,351	93
	Crops				9,062,870	82
	Government Payments				69,814	83
	Total				9,920,035	91

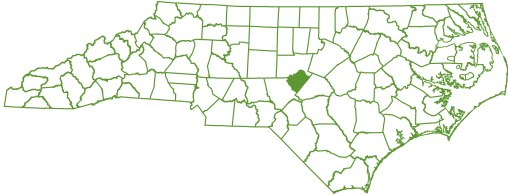
JOHNSTON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank	
Total Acres in County	506,377	Corn for Grain: Bu.	8,500	133	1,126,000	36	
Number of Farms	1,175	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	4,970	860	8,900	25	
Total Land in Farms, Acres	194,827	Hay, Other: Tons	9,600	2.85	27,500	19	
Average Farm Size, Acres	166	Peanuts: Lbs.	1,850	3,757	6,950,000	20	
Harvested Cropland, Acres	117,805	Soybeans: Bu.	54,400	34	1,862,000	11	
Average Age of Farmers	57.6	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	10,800	195	2,115,000	4	
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$951,263,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$123,451,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	9,300	2,340	21,750,000	3	
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$182,376	Wheat: Bu.	5,200	48	251,000	25	
		Livestock			Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)			9,450,000	27	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			12,500	22	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			190,000	12	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			30,000	40	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)			350,000	15	
		Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry				107,585,921	25
Crops				140,311,551	4		
Government Payments				3,683,069	17		
Total				251,580,541	8		

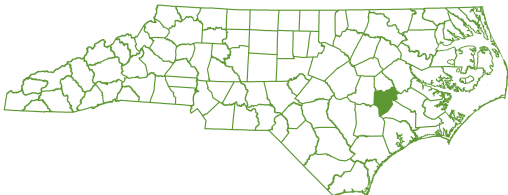
JONES COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank	
Total Acres in County	301,576	Corn for Grain: Bu.	15,100	152	2,301,000	19	
Number of Farms	170	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	12,900	904	24,300	8	
Total Land in Farms, Acres	59,367	Hay, Other: Tons	1,650	3.25	5,400	66	
Average Farm Size, Acres	349	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
Harvested Cropland, Acres	41,097	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*	
Average Age of Farmers	55.3	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*	
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$158,370,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$32,159,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	2,610	1,725	4,500,000	27	
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$889,200	Wheat: Bu.	3,500	57	201,000	32	
		Livestock			Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)			3,000,000	43	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,100	81	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			600	81	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			295,000	7	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)			275,000	16	
		Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry				96,718,873	27
Crops				33,384,665	39		
Government Payments				2,230,727	26		
Total				132,334,265	30		

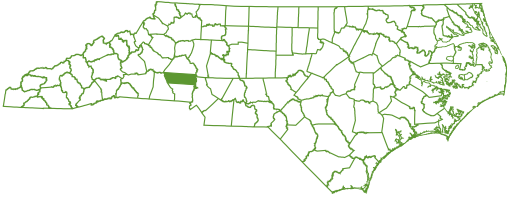
LEE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	163,168	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	246	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	39,081	Hay, Other: Tons	2,700	2.00	5,400	66
Average Farm Size, Acres	159	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	13,450	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	60.3	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$163,342,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$17,619,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	2,360	2,175	5,130,000	24
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$134,988	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		4,050,000	39	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		3,800	51	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		1,600	57	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		22,318,208	53	
Crops		14,344,576	68			
Government Payments		168,791	75			
Total		36,831,575	64			

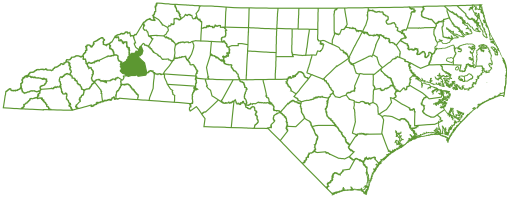
LENOIR COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	255,858	Corn for Grain: Bu.	23,500	132	3,112,000	12
Number of Farms	401	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	7,800	862	14,000	19
Total Land in Farms, Acres	122,104	Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	304	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	90,783	Soybeans: Bu.	37,600	40	1,496,000	17
Average Age of Farmers	57.9	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	2,750	240	659,000	10
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$412,079,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$73,442,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	6,150	2,070	12,740,000	10
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$590,081	Wheat: Bu.	4,970	54	270,000	24
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		2,100,000	48	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		2,200	62	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		1,500	58	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		275,000	9	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		120,000	22	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		1,550,000	8	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		120,871,472	19	
Crops		68,419,286	15			
Government Payments		1,879,603	29			
Total		191,170,361	16			

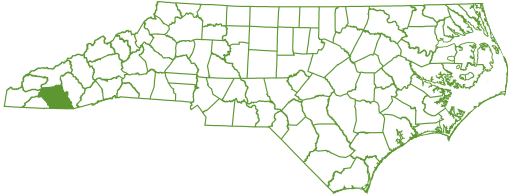
LINCOLN COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	190,683	Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,210	124	149,500	65
Number of Farms	651	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	55,570	Hay, Other: Tons	12,100	2.80	33,900	10
Average Farm Size, Acres	85	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	23,149	Soybeans: Bu.	6,070	42	254,000	56
Average Age of Farmers	58.7	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$309,596,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$35,835,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$79,308	Wheat: Bu.	2,240	56	125,000	52
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		8,000,000	30	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		14,500	17	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		4,200	35	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		2,800	3	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		400	60	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		3,400	47	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		51,857,814	38	
Crops		7,218,976	84			
Government Payments		249,481	59			
Total		59,326,271	51			

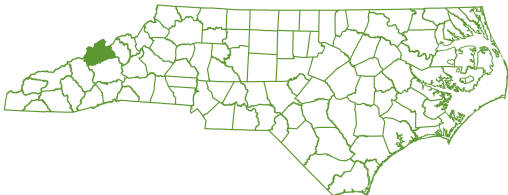
MCDOWELL COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	282,219	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	334	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	24,903	Hay, Other: Tons	2,500	1.80	4,530	73
Average Farm Size, Acres	75	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	4,828	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	58.2	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$143,678,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$19,748,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$73,150	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		1,000,000	52	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		2,400	60	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		81,000	28	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		9,154,729	71	
Crops		18,525,766	54			
Government Payments		56,379	86			
Total		27,736,874	74			

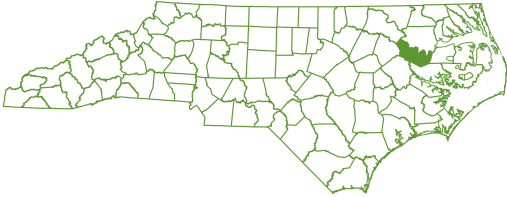
MACON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank		
Total Acres in County	329,964	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*		
Number of Farms	326	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*		
Total Land in Farms, Acres	22,684	Hay, Other: Tons	4,350	2.10	9,100	54		
Average Farm Size, Acres	70	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*		
Harvested Cropland, Acres	4,501	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*		
Average Age of Farmers	60.7	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*		
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$173,104,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*		
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$15,765,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*		
Average Total Farm Production Expense	*	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*		
		Livestock			Number	Rank		
		Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*		
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			2,700	58		
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,800	56		
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*		
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*		
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			1,200	65		
		Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*		
				Cash Receipts - 2017			Dollars	Rank
				Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			8,502,199	72
				Crops			2,283,492	95
		Government Payments			182,492	71		
		Total			10,968,183	89		

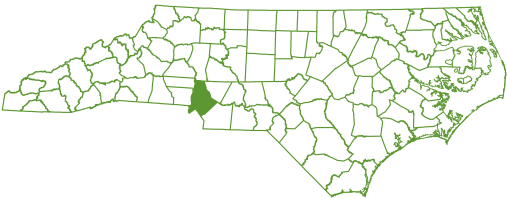
MADISON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank		
Total Acres in County	287,629	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*		
Number of Farms	719	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*		
Total Land in Farms, Acres	56,282	Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*		
Average Farm Size, Acres	78	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*		
Harvested Cropland, Acres	6,591	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*		
Average Age of Farmers	59.8	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*		
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$304,728,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*		
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$22,619,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*		
Average Total Farm Production Expense	*	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*		
		Livestock			Number	Rank		
		Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*		
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			5,900	45		
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			3,800	42		
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*		
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*		
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			4,000	46		
		Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*		
				Cash Receipts - 2017			Dollars	Rank
				Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			2,623,974	85
				Crops			4,259,050	93
		Government Payments			232,604	61		
		Total			7,115,628	93		

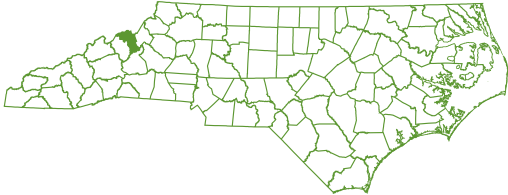
MARTIN COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	295,152	Corn for Grain: Bu.	5,850	127	740,000	43
Number of Farms	357	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	27,700	991	57,200	3
Total Land in Farms, Acres	127,187	Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	356	Peanuts: Lbs.	9,200	4,516	41,550,000	1
Harvested Cropland, Acres	86,458	Soybeans: Bu.	22,600	40	912,000	27
Average Age of Farmers	59.6	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	390	225	87,800	20
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$358,523,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$68,764,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	4,720	2,490	11,750,000	12
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$228,946	Wheat: Bu.	2,900	49	142,000	46
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		2,700,000	44	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		800	86	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		600	81	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		17,888,273	58	
Crops		59,692,763	23			
Government Payments		7,496,719	3			
Total		85,077,755	42			

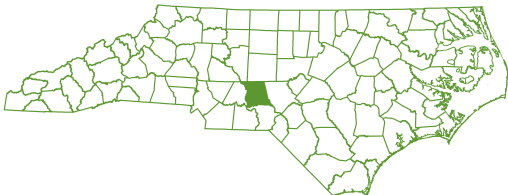
MECKLENBURG COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	335,216	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	237	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	15,439	Hay, Other: Tons	2,500	1.95	4,900	69
Average Farm Size, Acres	65	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	5,332	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	60.8	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$317,905,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$32,312,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	*	Wheat: Bu.	430	58	25,000	72
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		2,000	65	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		3,873,561	82	
Crops		170,761,928	2			
Government Payments		24,621	97			
Total		174,660,110	20			

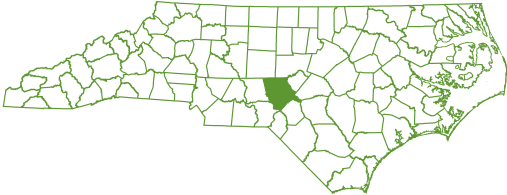
MITCHELL COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	141,718	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	286	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	19,322	Hay, Other: Tons	1,800	1.70	3,100	79
Average Farm Size, Acres	68	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	3,227	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	59.8	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$101,848,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$9,966,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	*	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		1,400	73	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		900	71	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		620,453	96	
		Crops		2,142,095	97	
		Government Payments		1,063	100	
		Total		2,763,611	98	

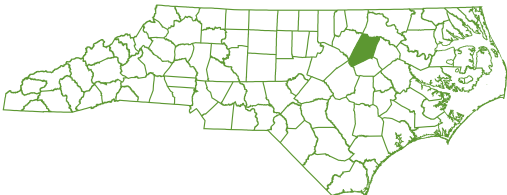
MONTGOMERY COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	314,730	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	250	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	35,047	Hay, Other: Tons	3,300	2.60	8,600	55
Average Farm Size, Acres	140	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	8,597	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	57.4	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$143,662,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$23,854,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$397,564	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		24,600,000	14	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		5,100	47	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		3,000	47	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		18,000	38	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		114,727,687	24	
		Crops		8,291,283	83	
		Government Payments		28,233	95	
		Total		123,047,204	33	

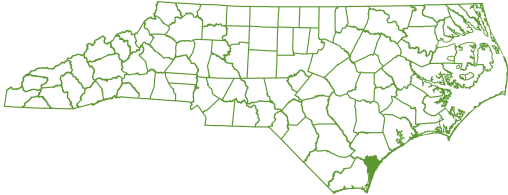
MOORE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	446,491	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	718	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	82,462	Hay, Other: Tons	7,800	2.60	20,400	30
Average Farm Size, Acres	115	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	15,161	Soybeans: Bu.	4,840	24	115,000	68
Average Age of Farmers	58.6	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$439,071,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$41,702,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$196,031	Wheat: Bu.	1,490	50	74,900	58
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		27,000,000	12	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		11,500	27	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		6,100	20	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		32,000	39	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		138,631,698	15	
Crops		16,720,789	62			
Government Payments		64,712	84			
Total		155,417,200	25			

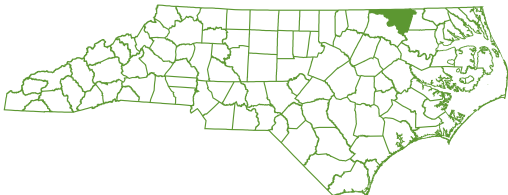
NASH COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	345,751	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	430	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	140,620	Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	327	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	84,803	Soybeans: Bu.	30,100	37	1,099,000	23
Average Age of Farmers	59.5	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	9,670	225	2,173,000	3
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$535,997,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$66,078,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	8,420	2,455	20,670,000	4
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$350,288	Wheat: Bu.	2,610	55	143,000	45
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		11,300,000	21	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		7,500	39	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		4,100	36	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		55,000	24	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		355,000	11	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		76,459,664	31	
Crops		110,628,951	5			
Government Payments		3,012,028	20			
Total		190,100,643	18			

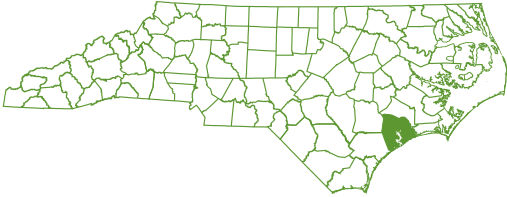
NEW HANOVER COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	122,569	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	50	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	2,881	Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	58	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	*	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	61.2	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$40,999,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$2,149,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	*	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		228,929	98	
		Crops		5,815,619	89	
		Government Payments		38,891	92	
		Total		6,083,439	95	

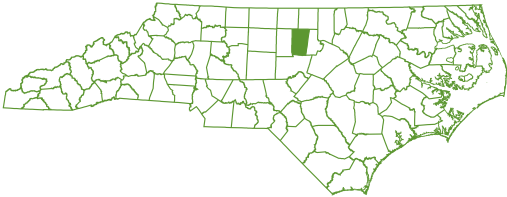
NORTHAMPTON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	343,409	Corn for Grain: Bu.	10,300	132	1,360,000	31
Number of Farms	319	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	38,800	1,065	86,100	1
Total Land in Farms, Acres	162,758	Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	510	Peanuts: Lbs.	5,250	4,310	22,630,000	10
Harvested Cropland, Acres	104,567	Soybeans: Bu.	32,800	42	1,379,000	20
Average Age of Farmers	59.1	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$426,082,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$69,712,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$339,557	Wheat: Bu.	7,250	64	465,000	14
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		9,650,000	26	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		900	84	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		600	81	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		110,000	14	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		70,543,088	32	
		Crops		49,737,754	25	
		Government Payments		6,095,228	6	
		Total		126,376,071	32	

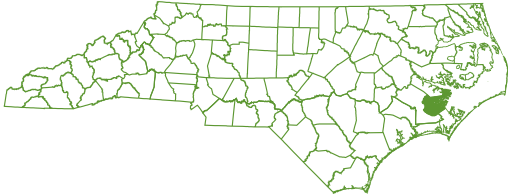
ON SLOW COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	489,752	Corn for Grain: Bu.	10,800	139	1,501,000	26
Number of Farms	347	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	57,643	Hay, Other: Tons	2,450	2.80	6,900	57
Average Farm Size, Acres	166	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	36,671	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	58.2	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$220,119,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$40,122,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$352,492	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		5,350,000	36	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		1,800	67	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		1,100	66	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		190,000	12	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		1,900,000	6	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		117,081,212	22	
Crops		25,744,051	45			
Government Payments		975,838	40			
Total		143,801,101	28			

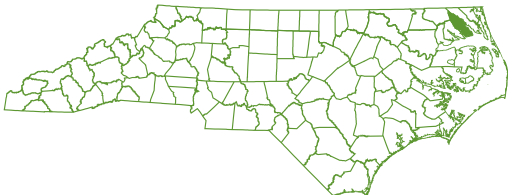
ORANGE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	254,461	Corn for Grain: Bu.	2,150	144	310,000	56
Number of Farms	645	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	56,666	Hay, Other: Tons	12,400	2.25	28,200	17
Average Farm Size, Acres	88	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	17,854	Soybeans: Bu.	3,780	38	144,000	63
Average Age of Farmers	58.6	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$379,250,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$34,665,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	810	1,965	1,590,000	41
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$49,052	Wheat: Bu.	760	59	44,900	65
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		14,500	58	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		10,000	29	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		4,900	27	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		700	18	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		4,500	46	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		165,000	18	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		19,119,497	56	
Crops		17,328,453	61			
Government Payments		80,662	82			
Total		36,528,612	65			

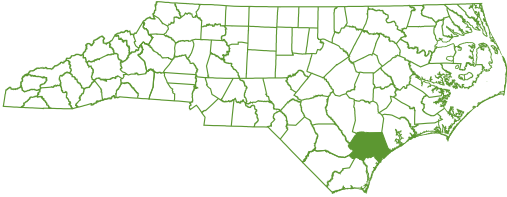
PAMLICO COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	215,643	Corn for Grain: Bu.	15,500	168	2,600,000	17
Number of Farms	80	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	46,785	Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	585	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	39,130	Soybeans: Bu.	18,100	47	844,000	29
Average Age of Farmers	58.2	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$134,597,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$26,781,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$304,228	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Livestock				Number	Rank
	Broilers Produced (2017)				*	*
	Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)				100	97
	Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)				*	*
	Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)				*	*
	Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)				*	*
	Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)				*	*
	Turkeys Raised (2017)				*	*
	Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
	Livestock, Dairy and Poultry				697,685	95
	Crops				24,817,906	47
	Government Payments				1,725,449	31
	Total				27,241,040	75

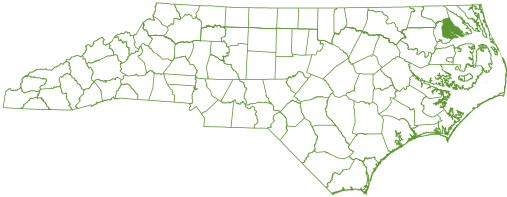
PASQUOTANK COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	145,203	Corn for Grain: Bu.	16,600	177	2,939,000	14
Number of Farms	136	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	72,270	Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	531	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	67,411	Soybeans: Bu.	52,300	49	2,534,000	5
Average Age of Farmers	58.8	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$228,330,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$41,780,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$335,397	Wheat: Bu.	6,880	65	444,000	16
	Livestock				Number	Rank
	Broilers Produced (2017)				*	*
	Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)				300	91
	Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)				*	*
	Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)				*	*
	Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)				*	*
	Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)				*	*
	Turkeys Raised (2017)				*	*
	Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
	Livestock, Dairy and Poultry				398,248	97
	Crops				64,273,158	19
	Government Payments				1,515,963	32
	Total				66,187,369	49

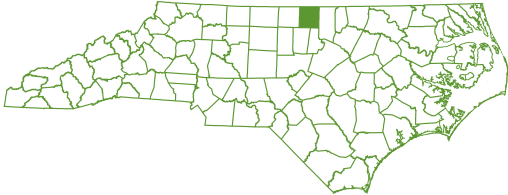
PENDER COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	556,656	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	335	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	55,775	Hay, Other: Tons	1,650	2.50	4,130	75
Average Farm Size, Acres	166	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	27,611	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	57.3	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$235,872,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$31,248,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$401,761	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		9,800,000	25	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		2,100	63	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		280,000	8	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		155,000	21	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		485,000	12	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		132,542,961	17	
Crops		38,828,037	34			
Government Payments		1,317,984	38			
Total		172,688,982	21			

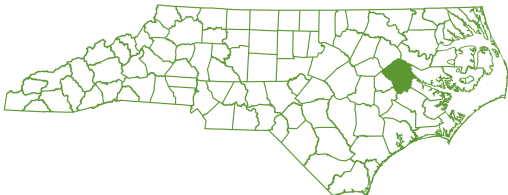
PERQUIMANS COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	158,159	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	185	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	8,290	1,146	19,800	15
Total Land in Farms, Acres	80,116	Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	433	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	71,724	Soybeans: Bu.	44,500	45	2,000,000	8
Average Age of Farmers	54.1	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$259,957,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$54,768,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$423,429	Wheat: Bu.	14,500	70	1,014,000	2
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		11,000,000	22	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		700	89	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		500	85	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		50,231,859	39	
Crops		39,721,059	31			
Government Payments		2,840,431	21			
Total		92,793,349	39			

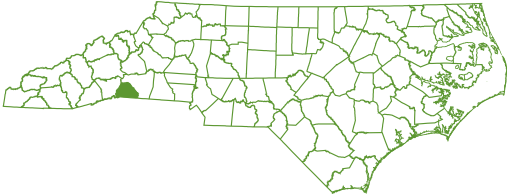
PERSON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	251,069	Corn for Grain: Bu.	2,000	123	246,000	60
Number of Farms	395	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	95,299	Hay, Other: Tons	8,500	1.60	13,800	43
Average Farm Size, Acres	241	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	37,524	Soybeans: Bu.	12,400	31	386,000	49
Average Age of Farmers	58	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$361,869,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$42,144,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	5,160	2,330	12,030,000	11
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$88,784	Wheat: Bu.	7,040	45	317,000	23
	Livestock				Number	Rank
					*	*
					7,600	38
					*	*
					*	*
					3,500	48
					*	*
					*	*
	Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
					5,176,123	79
					30,950,738	41
					205,726	65
					36,332,587	66

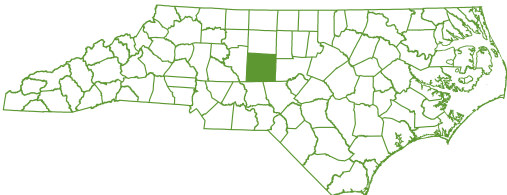
PITT COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	417,012	Corn for Grain: Bu.	24,200	132	3,189,000	11
Number of Farms	391	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	9,970	876	18,200	16
Total Land in Farms, Acres	171,821	Hay, Other: Tons	2,300	2.05	4,670	70
Average Farm Size, Acres	439	Peanuts: Lbs.	8,350	3,988	33,300,000	4
Harvested Cropland, Acres	129,519	Soybeans: Bu.	60,000	39	2,352,000	7
Average Age of Farmers	56.5	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$546,508,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$91,199,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	6,620	2,205	14,610,000	8
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$429,781	Wheat: Bu.	3,740	54	200,000	33
	Livestock				Number	Rank
					10,700,000	24
					2,700	58
					*	*
					*	*
					245,000	10
					*	*
					*	*
	Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
					121,291,831	18
					81,994,741	12
					5,908,448	9
					209,195,020	12

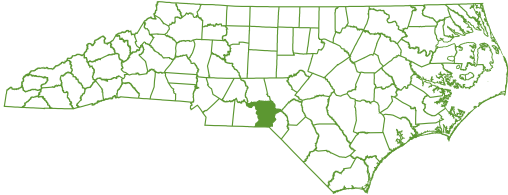
POLK COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	152,222	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	290	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	24,101	Hay, Other: Tons	4,300	1.55	6,600	59
Average Farm Size, Acres	83	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	5,829	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	60.4	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$176,700,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$14,415,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$39,576	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		3,200	55	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		1,300	63	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		4,673,132	81	
Crops		5,696,173	90			
Government Payments		120,545	77			
Total		10,489,850	90			

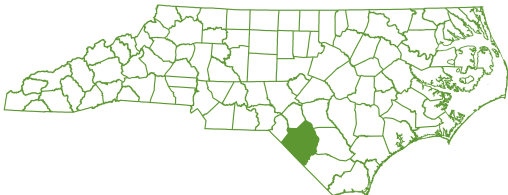
RANDOLPH COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	503,162	Corn for Grain: Bu.	3,880	120	464,000	52
Number of Farms	1,486	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	156,813	Hay, Other: Tons	22,000	2.30	51,000	3
Average Farm Size, Acres	106	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	51,750	Soybeans: Bu.	8,910	37	330,000	53
Average Age of Farmers	57.9	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$751,423,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$94,146,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$136,161	Wheat: Bu.	3,470	54	186,000	36
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		37,100,000	6	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		44,500	2	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		17,000	1	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		4,500	2	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		23,000	35	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		540,000	8	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		217,883,830	8	
Crops		17,449,433	60			
Government Payments		178,454	73			
Total		235,511,717	10			

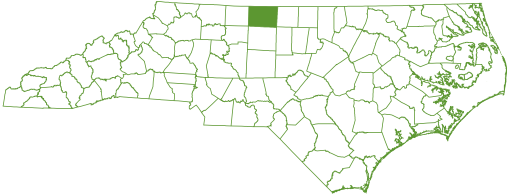
RICHMOND COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	302,998	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	277	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	47,573	Hay, Other: Tons	4,300	3.25	14,000	40
Average Farm Size, Acres	172	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	15,843	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	58.2	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$195,932,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$20,208,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$484,254	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		36,400,000	7	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		1,800	67	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		1,200	63	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		61,000	22	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		115,000	23	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		176,693,725	11	
Crops		6,865,975	87			
Government Payments		182,731	70			
Total		183,742,431	19			

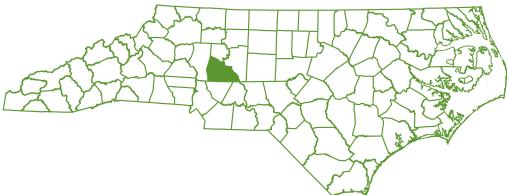
ROBESON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	607,208	Corn for Grain: Bu.	60,100	132	7,960,000	1
Number of Farms	941	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	12,700	986	26,100	7
Total Land in Farms, Acres	265,546	Hay, Other: Tons	7,250	3.10	22,500	26
Average Farm Size, Acres	282	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	191,674	Soybeans: Bu.	87,200	36	3,102,000	2
Average Age of Farmers	57.9	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$779,859,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$128,871,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$345,658	Wheat: Bu.	21,600	44	941,000	3
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		50,600,000	4	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		8,000	37	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		350,000	5	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		2,000	54	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		210,000	17	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		317,881,241	4	
Crops		91,483,410	9			
Government Payments		6,432,894	5			
Total		415,797,545	4			

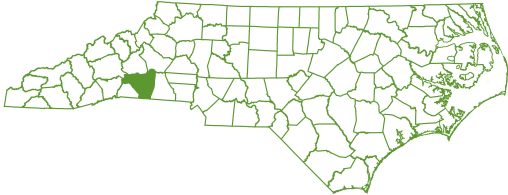
ROCKINGHAM COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	361,953	Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,130	126	142,500	67
Number of Farms	902	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	112,166	Hay, Other: Tons	15,600	1.90	29,500	15
Average Farm Size, Acres	124	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	28,293	Soybeans: Bu.	4,990	43	213,000	59
Average Age of Farmers	58.5	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$453,751,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$45,305,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	3,510	1,965	6,890,000	18
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$36,163	Wheat: Bu.	3,160	47	148,000	43
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		10,000	29	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		3,000	49	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		7,549,513	75	
Crops		21,867,522	50			
Government Payments		224,918	63			
Total		29,641,953	71			

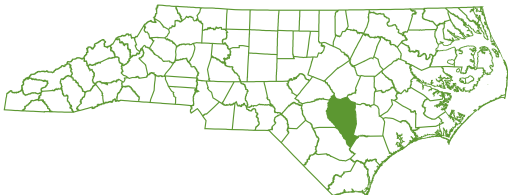
ROWAN COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	327,141	Corn for Grain: Bu.	8,250	145	1,194,000	35
Number of Farms	1,011	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	121,145	Hay, Other: Tons	16,900	1.90	32,000	12
Average Farm Size, Acres	120	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	62,532	Soybeans: Bu.	17,800	39	699,000	33
Average Age of Farmers	58.7	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$685,438,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$80,280,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$72,672	Wheat: Bu.	7,000	64	447,000	15
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		4,550,000	38	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		18,500	14	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		8,200	11	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		1,400	8	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		60,000	32	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		37,339,382	44	
Crops		38,340,054	36			
Government Payments		767,375	43			
Total		76,446,811	45			

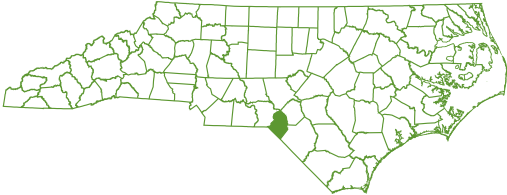
RUTHERFORD COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	361,034	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	638	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	59,540	Hay, Other: Tons	11,100	1.60	17,800	35
Average Farm Size, Acres	93	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	12,043	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	59.6	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$240,223,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$22,552,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$35,128	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		4,900,000	37	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		7,400	40	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		2,300	53	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		25,032,992	48	
Crops		3,269,862	94			
Government Payments		408,505	51			
Total		28,711,359	72			


SAMPSON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	604,599	Corn for Grain: Bu.	31,000	133	4,118,000	7
Number of Farms	1,067	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	13,600	833	23,600	9
Total Land in Farms, Acres	291,635	Hay, Other: Tons	21,900	3.00	65,500	2
Average Farm Size, Acres	273	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	169,549	Soybeans: Bu.	61,800	43	2,671,000	4
Average Age of Farmers	56.3	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$1,159,273,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$198,552,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	12,500	2,035	25,430,000	1
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$880,628	Wheat: Bu.	11,200	57	638,000	5
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		41,500,000	5	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		27,000	5	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		1,900,000	2	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		300,000	16	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		8,200,000	1	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		883,866,596	2	
Crops		228,167,325	1			
Government Payments		5,950,844	8			
Total		1,117,984,765	1			

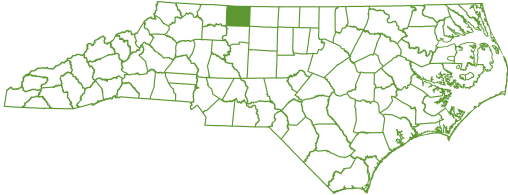
SCOTLAND COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	204,293	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	150	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	68,934	Hay, Other: Tons	1,370	2.40	3,270	78
Average Farm Size, Acres	460	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	31,034	Soybeans: Bu.	12,800	31	394,000	48
Average Age of Farmers	57.6	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$248,129,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$17,090,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$479,521	Wheat: Bu.	4,490	35	159,000	40
	Livestock				Number	Rank
	Broilers Produced (2017)				12,900,000	18
	Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)				1,200	77
	Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)				*	*
	Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)				*	*
	Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)				*	*
	Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)				*	*
	Turkeys Raised (2017)				*	*
	Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
	Livestock, Dairy and Poultry				82,066,416	28
	Crops				12,100,699	71
	Government Payments				834,675	42
	Total				95,001,790	38

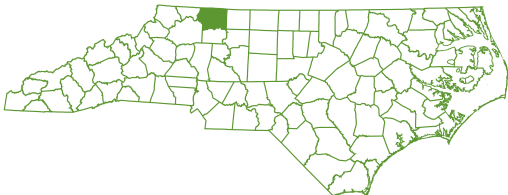
STANLY COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	252,836	Corn for Grain: Bu.	10,900	136	1,484,000	27
Number of Farms	664	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	93,071	Hay, Other: Tons	11,900	1.95	23,400	24
Average Farm Size, Acres	140	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	50,058	Soybeans: Bu.	19,600	35	688,000	35
Average Age of Farmers	58.5	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$478,518,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$56,744,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$112,834	Wheat: Bu.	8,740	61	531,000	9
	Livestock				Number	Rank
	Broilers Produced (2017)				9,100,000	28
	Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)				12,500	22
	Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)				*	*
	Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)				*	*
	Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)				3,000	49
	Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)				*	*
	Turkeys Raised (2017)				570,000	11
	Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
	Livestock, Dairy and Poultry				60,359,382	35
	Crops				23,497,670	48
	Government Payments				1,422,963	34
	Total				85,280,015	41

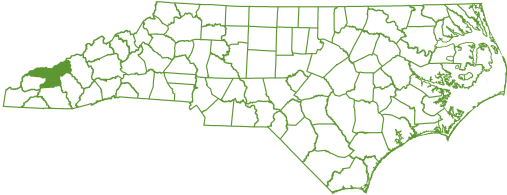
STOKES COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	287,269	Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,110	119	132,000	71
Number of Farms	926	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	91,547	Hay, Other: Tons	15,600	2.30	35,500	8
Average Farm Size, Acres	99	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	20,873	Soybeans: Bu.	2,500	34	85,000	72
Average Age of Farmers	59	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$352,165,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$43,180,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	1,830	1,840	3,370,000	35
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$35,332	Wheat: Bu.	630	41	26,000	71
	Livestock				Number	Rank
					*	*
					12,500	22
					5,200	26
					*	*
					*	*
					305,000	15
					*	*
	Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
					15,238,236	60
					12,820,912	69
					21,043	98
					28,080,191	73

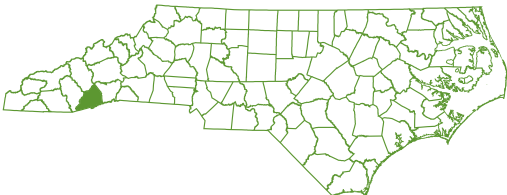
SURRY COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	340,586	Corn for Grain: Bu.	10,100	142	1,432,000	28
Number of Farms	1,256	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	126,897	Hay, Other: Tons	19,100	2.35	44,700	6
Average Farm Size, Acres	101	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	50,769	Soybeans: Bu.	11,700	42	493,000	44
Average Age of Farmers	57.7	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$582,149,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$106,634,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	2,730	2,465	6,730,000	19
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$145,921	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
	Livestock				Number	Rank
					28,100,000	11
					22,500	8
					*	*
					*	*
					*	*
					675,000	6
					*	*
	Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
					156,354,481	12
					37,211,389	37
					540,717	45
					194,106,587	15

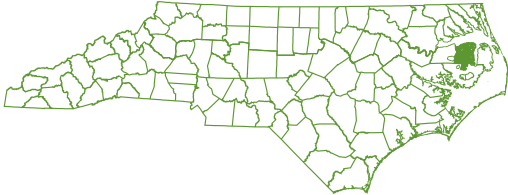
SWAIN COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	337,978	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	94	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	*	Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	*	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	*	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	55.5	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$32,814,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$3,507,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$12,624	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		400	90	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		835,126	92	
Crops		344,700	100			
Government Payments		35,203	94			
Total		1,215,029	100			

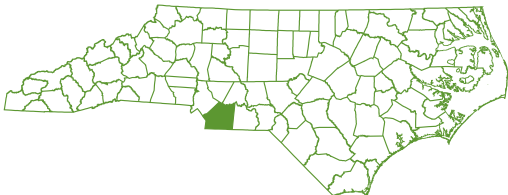
TRANSYLVANIA COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	242,162	Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,150	176	202,000	61
Number of Farms	221	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	17,929	Hay, Other: Tons	1,750	2.85	4,970	68
Average Farm Size, Acres	81	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	4,824	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	60.6	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$158,449,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$9,661,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$90,749	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		2,500	63	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		2,300	61	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		1,000	67	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		1,900	55	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		7,374,094	76	
Crops		18,249,196	57			
Government Payments		53,822	87			
Total		25,677,112	76			

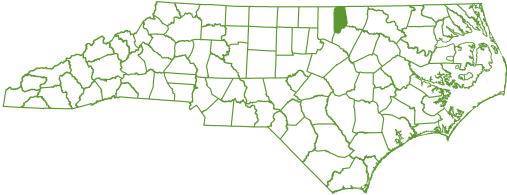
TYRRELL COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	248,980	Corn for Grain: Bu.	23,000	167	3,830,000	9
Number of Farms	78	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	64,590	Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	828	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	56,862	Soybeans: Bu.	32,500	47	1,530,000	16
Average Age of Farmers	57.3	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$164,361,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$26,827,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$527,644	Wheat: Bu.	9,700	62	598,000	7
	Livestock				Number	Rank
					*	*
					300	91
					100	94
					*	*
					*	*
					*	*
					*	*
	Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
					7,193,864	77
					47,823,464	28
					2,573,991	24
					57,591,319	53

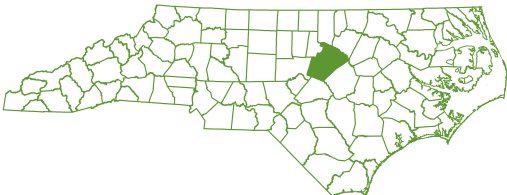
UNION COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	404,160	Corn for Grain: Bu.	31,900	129	4,101,000	8
Number of Farms	1,059	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	201,655	Hay, Other: Tons	11,100	2.15	23,800	23
Average Farm Size, Acres	190	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	143,932	Soybeans: Bu.	63,300	44	2,797,000	3
Average Age of Farmers	58.9	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$1,138,807,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$119,284,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$383,548	Wheat: Bu.	48,700	55	2,660,000	1
	Livestock				Number	Rank
					65,300,000	2
					19,500	10
					12,100	7
					*	*
					*	*
					1,400,000	2
					3,150,000	4
	Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
					406,784,682	3
					82,450,603	11
					3,519,874	18
					492,755,159	3

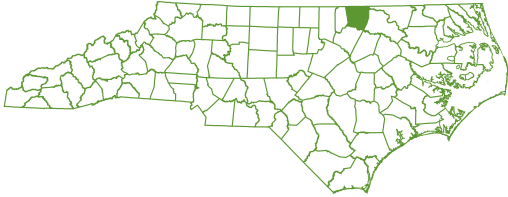
VANCE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	162,248	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	242	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	54,880	Hay, Other: Tons	3,000	1.55	4,600	72
Average Farm Size, Acres	227	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	13,890	Soybeans: Bu.	5,830	32	184,000	61
Average Age of Farmers	62.1	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$189,883,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$19,270,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	1,800	2,435	4,380,000	28
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$52,538	Wheat: Bu.	1,700	55	93,500	55
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		1,500	72	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		800	73	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		768,382	94	
Crops		12,180,244	70			
Government Payments		174,112	74			
Total		13,122,738	88			

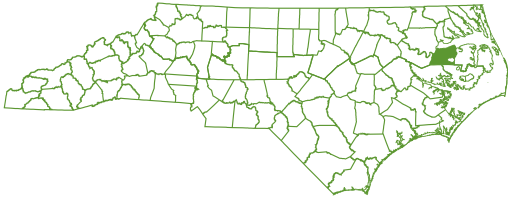
WAKE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	532,415	Corn for Grain: Bu.	300	83	24,900	90
Number of Farms	783	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	84,229	Hay, Other: Tons	6,700	1.50	10,200	52
Average Farm Size, Acres	108	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	37,990	Soybeans: Bu.	12,600	25	320,000	54
Average Age of Farmers	61.4	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$806,464,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$53,282,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	3,610	2,130	7,690,000	16
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$70,643	Wheat: Bu.	2,720	45	122,000	53
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		6,100	61	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		3,400	54	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		3,400	47	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		7,958,668	74	
Crops		48,300,422	27			
Government Payments		459,883	48			
Total		56,718,973	54			

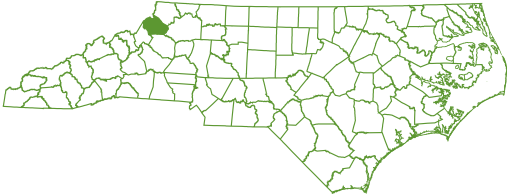
WARREN COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	274,207	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	256	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	65,699	Hay, Other: Tons	7,500	1.45	10,700	51
Average Farm Size, Acres	257	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	18,774	Soybeans: Bu.	8,470	29	241,000	57
Average Age of Farmers	62.4	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$168,317,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$15,582,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	1,460	2,440	3,560,000	32
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$77,471	Wheat: Bu.	2,000	63	126,000	51
	Livestock				Number	Rank
					*	*
					7,300	42
					*	*
					*	*
					*	*
					*	*
					*	*
					*	*
	Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
					13,330,292	64
					12,078,650	73
					227,803	62
					25,636,745	77

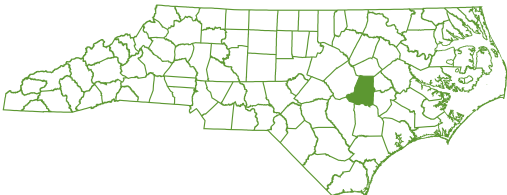
WASHINGTON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	222,843	Corn for Grain: Bu.	31,300	168	5,260,000	5
Number of Farms	156	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	8,650	1,188	21,400	12
Total Land in Farms, Acres	91,398	Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	586	Peanuts: Lbs.	1,260	4,159	5,240,000	24
Harvested Cropland, Acres	72,279	Soybeans: Bu.	39,600	46	1,819,000	13
Average Age of Farmers	58.5	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$275,734,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$47,083,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	280	2,035	570,000	47
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$327,643	Wheat: Bu.	5,900	64	378,000	17
	Livestock				Number	Rank
					*	*
					1,300	76
					700	75
					*	*
					*	*
					*	*
					*	*
					*	*
	Cash Receipts - 2017				Dollars	Rank
					18,231,000	57
					58,538,892	24
					4,203,684	14
					80,973,576	43

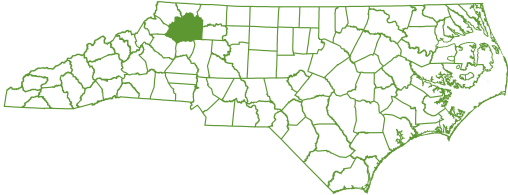
WATAUGA COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	199,388	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	609	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	55,765	Hay, Other: Tons	6,600	2.10	13,900	42
Average Farm Size, Acres	92	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	10,241	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	59.7	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$416,776,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$31,516,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$27,265	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		14,000	19	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		4,600	31	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		1,700	57	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		7,062,117	78	
Crops		6,551,010	88			
Government Payments		189,954	69			
Total		13,803,081	86			

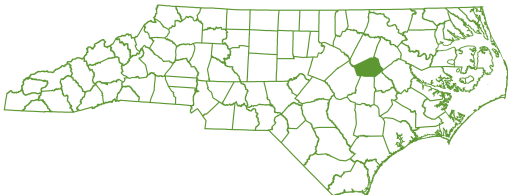
WAYNE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	353,730	Corn for Grain: Bu.	23,400	128	3,003,000	13
Number of Farms	563	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	191,195	Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	340	Peanuts: Lbs.	3,530	3,881	13,700,000	17
Harvested Cropland, Acres	142,683	Soybeans: Bu.	61,500	39	2,422,000	6
Average Age of Farmers	58.4	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$788,542,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$112,321,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	8,000	2,165	17,310,000	5
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$733,809	Wheat: Bu.	16,100	49	795,000	4
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		15,000,000	17	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		8,500	36	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		515,000	4	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		96,000	26	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		4,000,000	3	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		300,526,369	5	
Crops		108,898,155	6			
Government Payments		4,745,169	11			
Total		414,169,693	5			

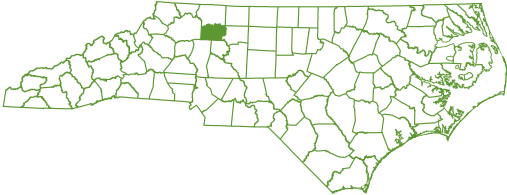
WILKES COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	483,420	Corn for Grain: Bu.	5,470	145	793,000	42
Number of Farms	972	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	111,118	Hay, Other: Tons	15,800	2.85	44,800	5
Average Farm Size, Acres	114	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	33,155	Soybeans: Bu.	1,560	43	66,700	75
Average Age of Farmers	59.2	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$538,077,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$78,081,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$248,579	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		54,800,000	3	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		38,500	3	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		14,300	3	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		1,100	13	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		415,000	10	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		267,860,084	7	
Crops		14,507,714	67			
Government Payments		179,750	72			
Total		282,547,548	7			

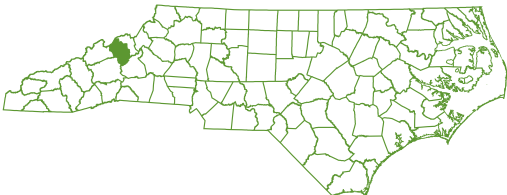
WILSON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	235,633	Corn for Grain: Bu.	10,200	129	1,320,000	32
Number of Farms	297	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	7,110	965	14,300	18
Total Land in Farms, Acres	111,395	Hay, Other: Tons	1,000	2.60	2,620	81
Average Farm Size, Acres	375	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	83,635	Soybeans: Bu.	33,300	44	1,471,000	19
Average Age of Farmers	58.2	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	9,700	255	2,456,000	2
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$425,164,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$79,118,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	9,470	2,445	23,150,000	2
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$485,385	Wheat: Bu.	2,300	60	138,000	49
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		1,100	81	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		600	81	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		33,000	32	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		12,599,262	66	
Crops		147,888,234	3			
Government Payments		2,805,971	22			
Total		163,293,468	23			

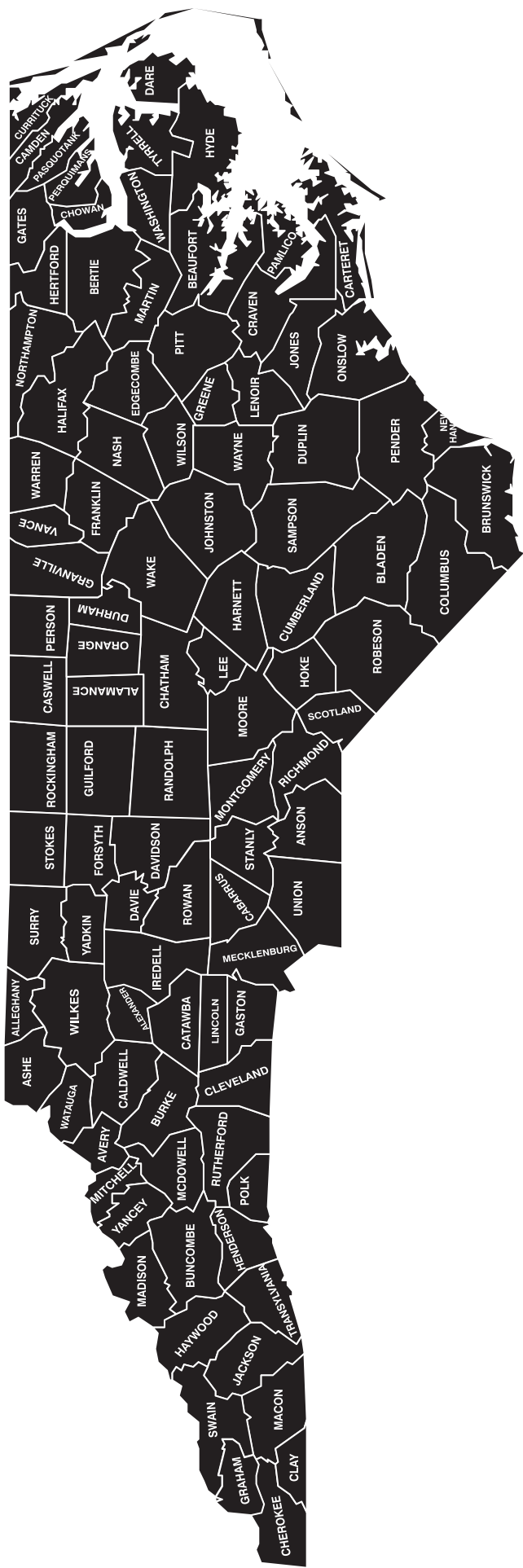
YADKIN COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	214,289	Corn for Grain: Bu.	11,600	122	1,410,000	29
Number of Farms	952	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	100,483	Hay, Other: Tons	15,200	2.75	41,600	7
Average Farm Size, Acres	106	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	49,465	Soybeans: Bu.	18,800	38	706,000	32
Average Age of Farmers	56.9	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$529,204,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$64,814,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$109,985	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2016)		6,700,000	32	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2017)		19,500	10	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2017)		8,900	10	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2017)		1,300	10	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2016)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2016)		1,150,000	3	
		Turkeys Raised (2016)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		78,601,923	30	
Crops		29,023,840	42			
Government Payments		1,503,191	33			
Total		109,128,954	34			

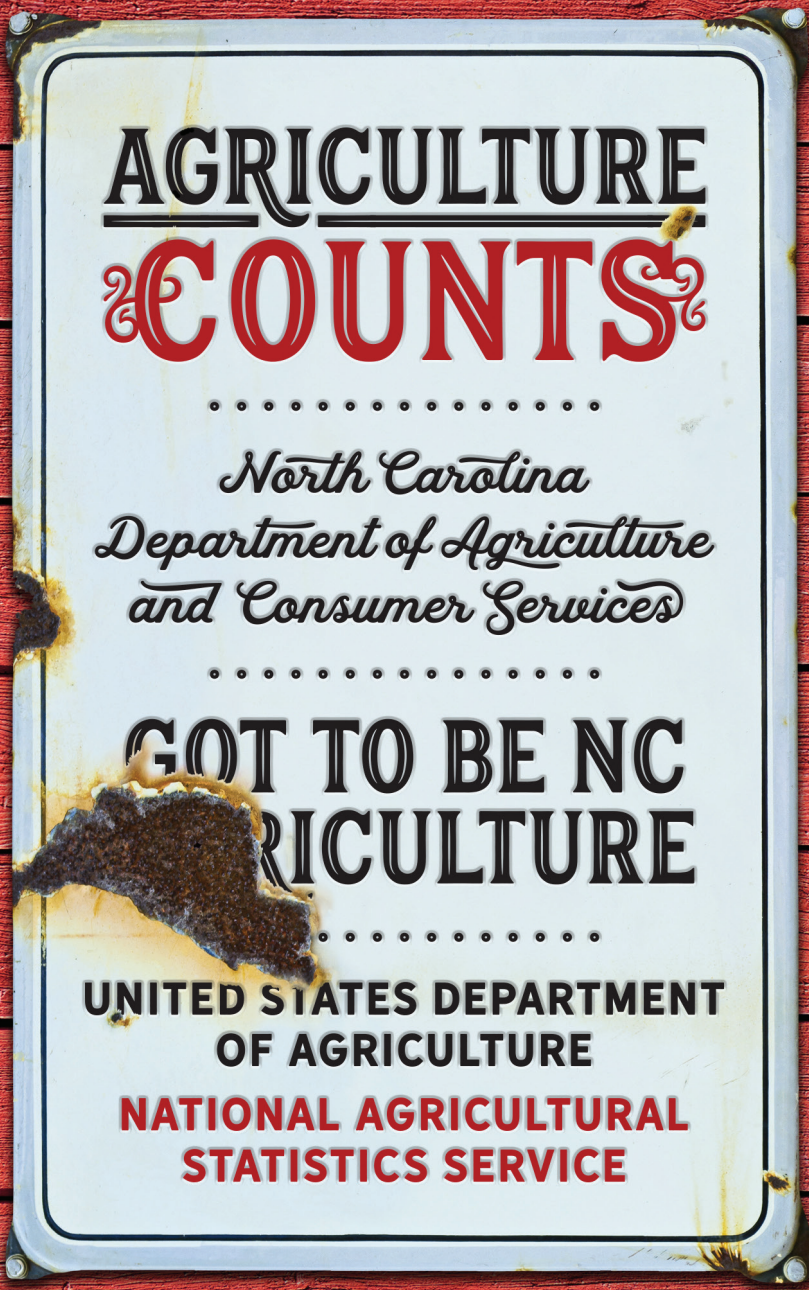
YANCEY COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012		Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	199,974	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	450	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	31,002	Hay, Other: Tons	2,900	2.25	6,500	60
Average Farm Size, Acres	69	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	4,650	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	60.5	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$200,940,000	Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$12,781,000	Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$15,735	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2017)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)		3,800	51	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		2,200	51	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)		100	32	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)		1,200	65	
		Turkeys Raised (2017)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2017		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		1,942,556	87	
Crops		4,369,374	92			
Government Payments		204,928	66			
Total		6,516,858	94			





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